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STEAM PACKETS

MAY be engaged at a short notice, for

TOWING SHIPS,

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PLEASURE PARTIES,

ON APPLICATION AT KELLICK'S WHARF.

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IRON STEAMERS TO THE HUNTER.



ON TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and SATURDAYS, at 10 P.M.

JAMES PATERSON, Secretary.

H. R. S. N. Co.'s Wharf. 9927

STEAM TO MELBOURNE AND LAUNCESTON,

CALLING AT EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.



THE IRON STEAM SHIP *SHAMROCK*,

G. Gilmore, commander, will sail for the above ports THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 3rd July, at 4 P.M.

JAMES PATERSON, Secretary.

H. R. S. N. Co.'s Wharf. 9994

FIRST VESSEL FOR MORETON BAY.



THE Fine new packet schooner *ANN MARY*, Captain Browne, will sail for the above port on Wednesday, the 7th July, at 12 o'clock.

For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to

T. C. THOMAS AND CO.

Moreton Bay Packet Office, Commercial Wharf. 112

FOR MORETON BAY.



THE well-known schooner *WILLIAM*, will be ready to receive cargo on Monday. For freight or passage apply on board; or to J. DALGARNO, at the Flour Company's Wharf. 187

FOR MELBOURNE DIRECT,



THE NEW SCHOONER *SOUVENIR*, 80 tons burthen, Captain Jennings, having the principal part of her cargo engaged, will meet with quick despatch. For freight or passage, apply to Captain JENNINGS, at the Flour Company's Wharf; to

SHEPPARD AND ALGER; Packet Office, 468, George-street; or to

195 R. TOWNS.

FOR MELBOURNE DIRECT.

TO FOLLOW THE "SOUVENIR,"



THE clipper schooner *LUCY*, Captain Wyndham, will have immediate despatch. For freight or passage, having superior accommodation, apply on board, at Flour Company's Wharf; or to

SHEPPARD AND ALGER. Packet Office, 468, George-street. 28

FOR PORT PHILLIP, PORT FAIRY, AND PORTLAND BAY.

INTENDED AS A REGULAR TRADER.



THE FINE SCHOONER *MARY ANN*, Staines, Master, will meet with immediate despatch. For freight or passage apply to

J. B. METCALFE.

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FIRST VESSEL FOR ADELAIDE.



THE NOTED CLIPPER *PHANTOM*, Captain Fox, will not receive any more cargo till Monday next. For freight or passage apply to

SHEPPARD AND ALGER,

9912 Packet Office, 468, George-street.

FOR ADELAIDE DIRECT.

TO FOLLOW THE PHANTOM.



THE WELL-KNOWN brig *EMMA*, Captain Osborn.

SHEPPARD AND ALGER,

10361 Packet Office, 468, George-street.

FIRST VESSEL FOR AUCKLAND,



THE clipper schooner *JOHN BULL*, Captain Twohey, sails To-morrow, and has room for ten tons freight. For freight or passage apply to

SHEPPARD AND ALGER,

9978 Packet Office, 468, George-street.

FOR AUCKLAND.



THE Schooner *TRITON*, Captain Lilewall, register 119 tons. Having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will sail on the 8th instant.

For freight or passage apply to

WILLIAM WRIGHT, Lower Fort-street.

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FOR CALCUTTA DIRECT.



THE teak-built ship *Bussorah Merchant*, Captain Beal, under charter for the conveyance of horses, which will be under the superintendence of Mr. G. A. Plaistowe. There are only ten disengaged stalls, for freight of which or passage, having splendid poop accommodations, and carries an experienced surgeon, apply to Captain Beal,

CAMPBELL AND CO.; or,

SMITH AND CAMPBELL.

Campbell's Wharf, June 26. 10482

FOR THE MAURITIUS.

FOR LIGHT FREIGHT ONLY.



THE fine teak-built schooner *ANTARES*, Al, 130 tons, Captain Kyle. Has room for about thirty tons light freight, for which immediate application is necessary, to

SMITH AND CAMPBELL, or to

J. B. METCALFE.

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FOR LONDON,



THE FIRST CLASS SHIP *Thomas Arbuthnot*, 821 tons register, John Thomson, H.C.S., commander.

The cabin accommodations of this ship are very superior.

Apply on board, at Campbell's Wharf; or to

10071 LYALL, SCOTT, AND CO.

FOR CHARTER TO ANY PORT IN NEW ZEALAND.



THE fine fast-sailing river-built ship *THOMAS KING*, 246 tons, Thomas G. Robbins, Commander. Apply to

GRIFFITHS, FANNING, AND CO., Spring-street.

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FOR LONDON,



THE well-known Teak-built barque *CAERNARVON*, 282 tons O. M., having a considerable portion of her cargo engaged, will meet with quick despatch.

Produce for shipment will be received at the Stores of the undersigned, and bills of lading signed if required.

For particulars apply to

FREDERICK EBSWORTH, Queen-street; or

R. TOWNS, At the Wharf.

Towns' Wharf, Miller's Point, June 24. 10267

FOR PASSENGERS ONLY.

FOR LONDON.



THE fine new fast sailing barque *ANN BATES*, 377 tons, Peter Slaughter, commander, having all her cargo engaged, will sail on or about the 12th proximo.

Apply on board; or to

GRIFFITHS, FANNING, AND CO., 10274 Spring-street.

FOR LONDON DIRECT,



THE fine fast sailing British built barque *PRINCESS ROYAL*, A1 for 12 years, C.L. Von Zuile com, commander, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will have immediate despatch. Has excellent accommodation for cabin, intermediate, and steerage passengers.

For freight or passage apply to the Captain, on board, at Campbell's Wharf; or to

MONTEFIORE, GRAHAM, AND CO. 8638

TO THE PUBLIC.

SUBSCRIBERS to this Journal paying in advance are reminded that they are only entitled to ten per cent. discount on paying punctually in advance at the commencement of the quarter. Persons wishing to decline must pay up all arrears.

SOCIETY FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE FINE ARTS.

THE EXHIBITION of PAINTINGS &c., at the Australian Library, Bent-street, is open to the public from 10 A.M. till 4 P.M., every day except Sunday.

Admission for non-subscribers, one shilling each person.

EDWIN C. SUTTOR, 10439 Hon. Sec.

To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.

GENTLEMEN,—Perceiving an advertisement in this day's *Herald*, requiring twenty pair of sawyers at 5s. per hundred, 24 inches and under, over 24 inches, 6s.,—I beg leave to say such an advertisement is calculated to mislead those who are unacquainted with the differences between the operative sawyers and their employers; and is likely to induce men from their constant employment in the interior, to become the dupes and slaves of those who think to monopolise our labour; the greater part of those employers have themselves been sawyers; they know well we ask for nothing but our just and lawful wages. Some of those men a short time ago were beholden to their day's wages as we are, and were the leading men to look for their rights, but have now raised themselves above the common level by their extortions, &c., on sawyers; and now, forsooth, refuse to pay us our just and lawful wages. It is freely admitted by every honest-meaning man that we ask for nothing more than is barely sufficient to support ourselves and families. It is well known that our work is the most laborious in the colony; the greater part of us exposed to the inclemency of the weather and inconstant work,—perhaps a week in work and two out; so by this when in work we must work hard to pay our debts, and provide if possible for the time we will be idle. Under these circumstances, Gentlemen, we have put our mites together, and opened a first-rate cedar yard, and trust to a discerning public for a liberal support.

N.B.—Cedar can be supplied at the Operative Wood Sawyers' Yard 20 per cent. cheaper than any other yard in Sydney. Orders completed at the rate of 2000 feet per day for cash. All orders most punctually attended to.

Employers can be supplied with the best workmen on application to the Superintendent of the yard, Davies's Wharf and Market Wharf.

(Signed)

ONE OF THE VICTIMS IN PERSPECTIVE.

Sydney, July 3. 178

TO THE CREDITORS IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF MICHAEL GANNON.

GENTLEMEN,—Previous to the last sale of my property on the 27th May ultimo, I made an offer to the Official Assignee of my estate to pay 2s 6d. in the pound, or £1000 in cash, and all monies that were in his hands, (being aware that since the last dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound was declared that he has received £1000 as follows: £750 for a mill at Darlinghurst, and £250 from J. S. Hanson,) or that Mrs. Gannon and her trustees would take from three or more of the principal creditors an offer of such amount as they might consider her entitled to, by giving up her claim and delivering over to them the property now in her possession, and about which the new trial has been granted, for the purpose of putting a stop to the present law proceedings, which are not only ruinous to my family but are consuming the estate: I now, gentlemen, earnestly request that you will be pleased to attend the adjourned meeting to be holden on Tuesday, the 6th instant, at eleven o'clock.

I beg to inform you that at the said meeting circumstances will be brought to light that it is almost impossible for you to imagine.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your humble obedient servant,
165 MICHAEL GANNON.

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I do myself the honour to inform you that I am a candidate for one of the vacant seats in the direction of your Institution, and respectfully solicit your votes and support for that important office at the election which will take place on the 13th July next.

In soliciting your support on that occasion, I have only to add, that should you honour me with your confidence and elect me one of your directors, I pledge myself to use my best exertions and abilities at all times for the furtherance and interest of our valuable Institution.

I have the honour to remain,
Ladies and Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
GEORGE BOWMAN.

Richmond, June 28. 11320

AUSTRALIAN SUBSCRIPTION LIBRARY.

THE Half-yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors of the Library will be held on Thursday next, the 8th instant, at half-past three o'clock, for the election of Members and general business.

ROBERT ROSS, Secretary

July 1.

IRISH AND SCOTCH RELIEF COMMITTEE

NOTICE.

THE City of Sydney and its environs having been divided into collecting districts, the public are informed that they will be called upon by Members of Committee for subscriptions and contributions in kind.

GEORGE KING, Assistant Secretary.

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IRISH AND SCOTCH RELIEF FUND.—Subscriptions towards the relief of the starving poor in Ireland and Scotland will be received in Sydney by any of the Treasurers, Secretaries, or any member of the Committee; or they may be made at any of the Banks in Sydney, where subscription lists are now open; and in the country as soon as District Committees are formed. Those gentlemen who are desirous of contributing live stock, provisions, or clothing of any kind, will be pleased to communicate with the Secretaries, or the Assistant-Secretary, Mr. George King, George-street, late the offices of the Sydney Banking Company, who will promptly make arrangements for receiving the same in the appointed depôts.

ROBERT CAMPBELL, Chairman of Committee.

Sydney, June 17. 9754

SURRY HILLS AND PADDINGTON CHURCH.

THE COMMITTEE begs to announce to the residents in this vicinity who are members of the Church of England and subscribers to the fund for the erection of the district Church, that an account has been opened with the *Bank of Australasia*, in the joint names of the Treasurer and Secretary—George Hill, Esq., and H. B. Bradley—for the receipt of subscriptions.

Messrs. W. G. M'Carthy, W. H. Mackenzie, W. T. Cape, T. L. Dodd, and the Treasurer and Secretary, have also been requested to collect and receive subscriptions.

The Church Act requiring the sum of £300 to be in hand, before the appointment of trustees can take place, or any assistance can be obtained from Government, the subscribers and other members of the Church desirous of contributing their aid in this important matter, are requested to make their respective payments at their earliest convenience.

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MOLONG MINING COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the ninth clause of the deed of settlement of the Company, the half yearly meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office in Spring-street, at twelve o'clock A.M. on Tuesday, the sixth July.

By order of the Board of Directors,
J. L. MONTEFIORE, Chairman.

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SYDNEY MARINE ASSURANCE OFFICE.

CONDUCTED ACCORDING TO LLOYDS'

THIS Office, established in 1846, is continued to be conducted by the undersigned, who procures and delivers policies on ships and merchandise by means of the *subscriptions of individual underwriters of undeniable responsibility*, according to the practice followed at LLOYD'S.

Policies underwritten to all parts of the world, at the lowest remunerating rates, and completed immediately upon acceptation.

Insurance also effected on approved coasters.

SAMUEL H. SMYTH, 8160 489, George-street.

BANK NOTICE.

COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Half-Yearly Meeting of the Proprietors of this Bank will be held within the Banking House, Sydney, on Tuesday, the 13th day of July next, at 12 o'clock precisely, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors, and of declaring a dividend for the half-year, ending the 30th instant; for the election of two directors in the room of Archibald Little and James Atkinson, Esquires, who retire by rotation; for determining whether the Managing Director shall continue in office, he having been suspended by the Directors; and for such other general and special business, touching the management and affairs of the Company, as may be brought before the Meeting.

THOMAS BARKER, Chairman of the Board of Directors.

Commercial Bank, Sydney, 26th June, 1847. 10204

AUSTRALIAN FLORAL AND HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE Members of this Society are informed that the Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday next, the 7th instant, at Mr. R. Driver's, at 8 P.M. Members of Committee are requested to attend at 7 P.M.

147 R. HIPKISS, Secretary.

ANNIVERSARY DINNER.

UNITED LOYAL HAWKESBURY LODGE OF THE INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, WINDSOR.

THE Officers and Members of the Lodge will celebrate its Anniversary by a dinner, which will be held at the Lodge Room, Brother Blanchard's, Barrabas Hall Hotel, Windsor, on Monday, 12th July, 1847. Visitors admitted, subject to the approval of the Stewards.

Visiting Brethren are respectfully invited to attend.

Tickets 10s. 6d. each, to be had of the undermentioned Stewards.

WINDSOR.

Brothers D. Lawson and John Galloway.

RICHMOND.

Brothers J. J. Earl and William Tomkinson.

PENRITH.

Brother John Perry.

PARRAMATTA.

Brother Edward Smith.

SYDNEY.

Brothers Thomas Johnson and Thomas F. M'Dowell.

And of Brother Blanchard, at the Lodge.

J. J. EARL, 173 Secretary.

WEEKLY DESPATCH NEWSPAPER.

ON this day is published the first number of the above journal, containing—

Introductory Article—The Opened Parliament—Irish Paupers and British Christians—Police Intelligence—Sporting Intelligence—Original Correspondence—Our Colonial Parliament—The Drama—Memoranda of the City Council—Late English News—Domestic News—Posts' Corner—Scraps and Facts—The Oratory of Sir R. Peel and M. Thiers—Macready as an Actor—Miscellanea—Advertisements.

To be had of Mr. J. Moore, bookseller, opposite the Cathedral; Mr. Hogan, bookseller, Lower George-street; and of the publisher, 135, King-street East. 208

KANGAROO SKINS.

ON SALE at the Stores of the Undersigned, a very superior lot, ex *Louisa, Waterlily*, and *Shamrock*, in lots to suit purchasers.

A liberal allowance to the trade and country storekeepers.

W. DEAN, 66 89, Church Hill.

ACADEMY.

WARDELL'S COTTAGE, PITT-STREET,

ESTABLISHED 1843.

MR. J. H. RUCKER begs to acquaint his friends and the public of Sydney, that his classes will re-assemble on Monday, 5th July.

Evening classes as usual, from seven till nine o'clock—for instruction in reading, writing, arithmetic, book keeping, and in the Latin and French languages.

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AUSTENHAM HOUSE SCHOOL.

BUSINESS will be resumed on Monday, 5th instant.

J. FREDERICK CASTLE. July 1. 72

CONCORD SEMINARY.

MRS. LOVE respectfully announces to her friends and the public, that the duties of her establishment will be resumed on Monday, the 5th July. 14

NORMAL INSTITUTION.

THE classes of this establishment will re-assemble on Monday, 5th July. Terms for boarders or day scholars may be had, on applying to Mr. Gordon, at the Institution, Hyde Park. 10433

SYDNEY COLLEGE.

THE duties of the above Institution will be resumed on Thursday, the 8th day of July next, at nine o'clock A.M.

N.B.—Every facility for the obtaining of presentations afforded upon application to

D. PATTERSON. Head Master's House, June 29. 10356

THE OFFICES OF MR. ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Accountant, are at Mr. Barrett's, No. 2, Bridge-street. Attendance from ten till four.

Sydney, February 26. 6326

REMOVED, to the new buildings, Circular Quay.

JAMES COOK. Sydney, July 1. 13

THE undersigned has this day removed to his Stores, at the Circular Wharf.

R. CAMPBELL. Sydney, July 3. 193

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

W. J. JOHNSON, ORGAN BUILDER and PIANOFORTE-MAKER, having removed from No 52, Pitt-street, respectfully requests that all orders for tuning or repairing may be left at the office under St. James's Church, or at the Manufactory, Sussex-street South, between Barker's Mill and Liverpool street, (lately occupied by Alderman Flood.)

CHARGES FOR TUNING.

Square Cottage, or Cabinet Pianoforte, 6s. 6d. each

Grand, and all three Unison Pianofortes, 10s. each

Pianofortes, &c., repaired as usual.

N. B.—A spring van kept for removing musical instruments. 9890

REMOVAL.—Mr. and Mrs. COUSENS having removed to those eligible premises, Elizabeth-street, Hyde Park, corner of Liverpool-street, late City Grammar School, beg to announce that the business of their respective establishments will be resumed on Monday, July 5th, 1847.

A class for DANCING will be formed immediately, Mrs. Cousens having engaged a Professor from Paris for that accomplishment. 159

REMOVAL.—Mr. CONROY, Surgeon-Accoucheur, formerly six years Assistant at the General Hospital, Macquarie-street, Sydney, respectfully acquaints his friends that he has removed to 260, Pitt-street, opposite the establishment of Messrs. Appleton and Co., where he may be consulted as usual. 155

SAMUEL PLAYSTED JESTON, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, likewise of the Medical Board of New South Wales, acquaints his friends he has removed from the Glebe to Parramatta-street, nearly opposite Mr. Cooper's Distillery, where he may be consulted daily. At home from eight to ten A.M.

Mr. J. might add oculist to his other qualifications, having attended the Opthalmic Institution, *Moorfields*, for three years, twelve months of which, after obtaining his diploma, he devoted entirely to the practical part of that branch of the profession, but diseases of the eye being so well understood by every skilful and educated surgeon, it would be quite superfluous. 157

PORT PHILLIP AGENCY.—The undersigned intending in future to devote their time and energy to Ship and Commission Agency, at the solicitations of many of their friends, would intimate to the Inhabitants of the colony generally, that their services in the above capacity are now available, and that if unremitting attention to their interests, combined with prompt and regular remittances for business effected through them, will secure their esteem and support, they feel fully assured of their continued and extended favours.

H. W. MORTIMER AND SON. Melbourne, September 1. 4866

PAINLESS TOOTH DRAWING.

MR. J. EMANUEL, Examined Surgeon Dentist, having the most complete apparatus in the colony for *inhaling* the *Sulphuric Ether*, begs most respectfully to inform the public of New South Wales, that he continues with success to extract teeth and the most difficult stumps without pain to the patient. The *faculty* and others are invited to view the simple but perfect apparatus. Mr. Emanuel continues to preserve teeth *from decay*, also to supply artificial teeth, from one to a complete *set*, having a large collection of *mineral* teeth of all colours. The mineral being composed of indestructible fossils, never change their colour or become *offensive* to the wearer. Mr. E. cautions the public generally to observe that artificial teeth made of any other material, such as bone or natural teeth, break and *decompose*. Charges strictly moderate. Specific for the *tooth ache*—The most valuable remedy ever discovered in this colony for the *tooth ache* is undoubtedly this tincture, prepared solely by Mr. J. Emanuel, No. 345, Castlereagh-street North. It is sold in bottles at 2s. 6d. per bottle; large size bottles for families residing in the interior five shillings per bottle. It is only necessary to apply one drop of this tincture on a small piece of prepared wool, into the cavity of the affected tooth, and the pain will be instantly removed. Mr. E.'s cement for stopping decayed teeth, the properties of which are only known to himself: it prevents pain if stopped in time, and answers when any other kind of stopping has failed, such as gold leaf, &c.; children's teeth particularly attended to, and malformation of the mouth prevented. Soothing syrup for infants teething: one or two drops rubbed well on the gums with the finger, will relieve the irritation consequently arising from first dentition: sold in bottles at 2s. 6d. per bottle. Mr. Emanuel's diploma, received from the Medical Board of the Hague, in the year 1836, authorising him to practise as Surgeon Dentist, also his specimens of artificial mineral teeth, mounted in *pure gold*, can be seen daily. All consultations free of charge. *French tooth brushes* of a very superior description.

At home from 9 A.M. till 6 P.M.

☞ Observe the address—No. 345, Castlereagh-street North, eight doors from Hunter-street, Sydney. 9743

PAINLESS DENTAL SURGERY.

MR. BELISARIO is happy to inform the public, that he is enabled by means of the recent discovery, ethereal inhalation, to perform the most difficult operations in dental surgery, with perfect freedom from pain or subsequent inconvenience to his patients. Mr. Belisario's apparatus was constructed by himself in conjunction with an experienced medical gentleman of this city who was also kind enough to superintend his first operations.

Mr. Belisario continues to operate as hitherto on such patients as may not wish to make use of the ethereal vapour. 9528

SURGEON DENTIST,

MR. T. S. HALL begs leave to inform his friends that he has received per *Woodbridge*, a most beautiful assortment of mineral Teeth of every shade and description. Having made arrangements with his correspondent in Paris for a regular supply of teeth, and every article required in the mechanical branch of his profession, Mr. H. is enabled to fit teeth at the following low prices, and to assure those who favour him with their orders that whatever is performed by him will be as well executed as it can be in any part of the world.

	£	s.	d.
A single mineral teeth on silver ...	0	10	0
Ditto ditto on gold ...	1	0	0
A whole mineral set, on silver	10	10	0
Ditto ditto gold, from £20 upwards			

These teeth are warranted never to decay or change colour.

93, King-street.

The private entrance to Mr. Row's Chemical Establishment. 207

MEDICAL GALVANISM, DENTAL SURGERY, AND CUPPING.

MR. J. S. NORRIE operates with the new Electro-Galvanic Machine and Ætherial inhalation daily. Mr. N.'s Ætherial Apparatus is on an improved construction, and fulfils the purpose successfully, occasioning no pain or inconvenience whatever. Galvanism applied by the new regulating machines is found eminently serviceable in liver and nervous complaints, rheumatism, sciatica, tic doloreux, paralysis, and a variety of diseases. Medical men, public institutions, and hospitals, had better secure them at once, as there are only a few left. A guide to the successful administration of Galvanism accompanies each machine.

Pitt-street, near Bathurst-street. 214

MUSIC.

PARTIES desirous to obtain the fifteenth and most approved edition of J. Jousse's Pianoforte Tutor, can purchase them of G. HUDSON, Music Seller, Pitt-street North; or J. DUCROS, Hunter-street. 190

HORSBURGH'S EAST INDIA DIRECTORY.

AN Edition of this work for sale, at Mr. SMITH'S, Optician and Mathematical Instrument Maker, No. 671, George-street North. 164

THANKS FOR THE PAST AND HOPES FOR THE FUTURE.

H. HAYES, TAILOR AND DRAPER, 416, George-street, returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public of the colony generally, for the extraordinary patronage bestowed upon his establishment during his visit to England, and begs to assure them that, in order to merit a continuance of the same, he has made arrangements with several wholesale houses in England for a periodical supply of first-rate goods, suitable to the wants and wishes of the gentlemen of the colony.

He has also secured the services of a foreman of great experience and undoubted talent, from one of the first houses at the West End of London, just arrived per *Woodbridge*, which, together with increased attention, punctuality, and furnishing a good article at a remunerative profit, he is confident will secure to him that kind patronage which, for the last ten years has stamped his establishment as the first and best in the colony.

N.B.—In a few days thirteen cases of goods will be landed, ex *Thomas King*, *Woodbridge*, and *Oliver Cromwell*, of a first-rate character, particulars of which will be given in a future advertisement 166

CHAPEAUX FRANÇAIS MODE PARISIENNE.

HATS FOR THE MILLION!!

CHARLES STEVENS DEACON has much pleasure in announcing the receipt of the undermentioned Goods, ex *Glentanner*.

VIZ.:—

146, 147, 148 } CD over S in diamond—Three (3) cases best Paris silk hats, at 16s. 6d. each

149, 150, 151 } CD over S in diamond—Three (3) cases Paris hats, satin velvet nap, 20s. each

C. S. D. has great confidence in recommending the above to the gentlemen of the colony, being convinced they are the best importation of the kind that has ever been offered to their notice, and the price at least twenty per cent. lower than the prices usually charged for hats of an inferior quality.

CHARLES STEVENS DEACON, Tailor, Hatter, and Outfitter, Oxford House, 556, George-street,

228 Opposite the Bank of Australasia.

CHRISTOPHER NEWTON AND BROTHER having sold by auction the whole of the

OLD STOCK

at the Bee-Hive, have This Day,

MONDAY, THE 28TH JUNE,

RE-OPENED

their extensive establishment, and have now the pleasure to offer to their customers and the public,

A VAST AMOUNT

OF

NEW GOODS,

comprising the *latest styles*, coupled with the *most choice* and *complete assortment* ever offered to the inhabitants of this important colony.

It is needless to urge upon the public the benefits they will derive from an early call—the whole of the community being well aware of the advantages to be met with at this house—suffice it to say that the proprietors are anxious to clear off as much as possible previous to

ANOTHER

GREAT SALE BY AUCTION,

so that the present stock will be sold if anything

CHEAPER THAN HERETOFORE.

THE OLD TERMS:

CASH, AND NO ABATEMENT.

Pitt-street, 28th June. 10360

TO DRAPERS, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, TRADERS TO NEW ZEALAND, THE SOUTH SEA ISLANDS, &C., &C.

THE undersigned have on hand, and for sale—

A general assortment of *Drapery Goods*, comprising almost every article at present in demand.

ROWAND, MACNAB, AND CO., 9535 391, Pitt-street.

KANGAROO SKINS.—Just received, a small parcel of very prime quality and good weight.

WALLER AND MARSH, Bank of Australia Buildings, George-street. 217

MILLINERY AND DRESS-MAKING ESTABLISHMENT, PITT-STREET, NO. 256.

MESDAMES DOAK AND KERR beg to acquaint the ladies of Sydney and its vicinity that they have on hand a choice selection of Millinery, consisting of silk and velvet bonnets, caps and evening head dresses, feathers, French flowers, gold and silver ornaments, lace, flounces, best French kid gloves, French stays; also coloured velvet for fancy dresses. 226

THE FANCY BALL.

GENTLEMEN'S COSTUME.

MESSRS. PITE AND PRESTON beg to inform their customers in the tailoring department, and the public, that they are prepared to execute orders for every description of Fancy Costume. Their cutter has had considerable experience in this department at home, which, with the extensive variety of materials, consisting of gold and silver laces, fringes, tassels, &c., &c., royal purple, crimson, black, and other velvets cashmeres, cloths, silks, satins, feathers, &c. &c., will offer facilities not to be met with in any other establishment in the colony.

A private room has been set apart for the reception of costume orders, where various plates from Her Majesty's Costume Ball, &c. &c., may be seen. The description of dress ordered by any gentleman will be strictly confidential, and known to no one but the cutter. A few superb costumes are now ready for inspection, or can be made to order,

From

Seventy Shillings

to

Twenty Pounds.

N.B. — All costume orders must be

CASH ON DELIVERY.

Emporium, 263, Pitt-street. 89

NETTED WOOL SHAWLS

AND

HANDKERCHIEFS,

JUST OPENED, ex *Thomas King*, a very choice selection of the above goods

IN SIZES,

from 4-4 handkerchiefs to 10-4 shawls.

They are of the most esteemed porcupine make, and are beautifully assorted in colours.

Pure white with coloured fringes, some entirely white, and a few for half-mourning.

ALSO,

A choice assortment of

FANCY WOOL NECK TIES.

The whole of the above have been marked at a very small per centage upon the English cost to ensure a *quick sale*, at

PITE AND PRESTON'S 119 Emporium, 263, Pitt-street.

CHEAP AND ELEGANT BALL DRESSES.

MESSRS. PITE AND PRESTON respectfully solicit the attention of their customers and the public generally, to the undermentioned materials for

BALL DRESSES,

which have this day been re-marked and reduced (in many instances) to less than the

ENGLISH COST PRICES.

Rich, plain, and figured white satins
Ditto ditto in silver, grey, sky, &c., &c.
Ditto white and coloured Gros des Indes
Ditto ditto satinets
Ditto plain and figured white duchapes
Ditto ditto in gray, sky, maize, &c., &c.
Velvets in black, crimson, royal purple, emerald, &c., &c.
Rich black Mechlin lace skirts
Ditto ditto graduated lace for flounces
Black and white real French blonds of all widths
Ditto ditto wire ground laces
Plain white and coloured challi dresses
Rich brocaded fancy ditto ditto
Gold and silver wreaths and head band
Ostrich and marabout plumes, &c.,

90 Emporium, 263, Pitt-street.

FANCY GOODS.

IMPORTANT to those who have not yet completed their costumes for the approaching Mayor's Ball.

The undersigned has reduced the prices of all his Fancy Stock fully fifty per cent., as he is determined to sell off the whole of the undermentioned articles in the course of this month, quite regardless of their original cost, viz:—

Pearl bunches and wreaths
Pearl head dresses and coronets
Pearl girdles and negligees
Pearl beads of all sizes
Pearl dress trimmings
Gold and silver gimps, laces and fringes
Gold and silver cords, tassels and girdles
Gold and silver head ornaments
White and coloured plumes and marabouts
Splendid head dresses for fancy costumes
A choice selection of ornamental jewellery, with many other fancy articles which will be sold very cheap.

At THOMAS DAVIES', George-street.

July 2. 205

ADVANCE AUSTRALIA.

ECONOMY AND COMFORT.

GRAVELY'S ECONOMICAL COTTAGE COOKING APPARATUS.

THE undersigned, after a variety of experiments, has succeeded in bringing to perfection a small Cooking Apparatus, which is allowed by scientific men to be unsurpassed, either in British or Colonial manufacture.

In submitting the above new invention to the public of New South Wales, A. G. feels that he is offering an article at a Moderate Price, possessing advantages that have never before been combined. The apparatus has a hot plate, and two large ovens, heated by one-fourth the Fuel consumed in an ordinary range.

References to the above facts have kindly been allowed by several respectable families who are already supplied.

The colonists in general are respectfully invited to inspect this stove (suitable for either town or bush) in constant operation at the

GRIDIRON,

280, Pitt-street, opposite the Theatre.

ARTHUR GRAVELY, Furnishing and General Ironmonger, Tin-plate Worker, &c. 3841

GUNS. GUNS. GUNS.—The undersigned has just received two cases of bush Guns, suitable for stockmen and shepherds, at 12s. 6d. each; also, double guns, warranted twist barrels, patent breeched, and walnut stocks, at £3 each.

GEORGE WHITFIELD, Gunmaker, No. 83, King-street West,

121 Three doors from George-street.

THOMAS WISEMAN, Engineer and Millwright, Dixon-street, corner of Liverpool-street, Sydney.

T. W. most respectfully informs the public that he has on hand, at present, two high-pressure Engines for sale; one eight-horse power, the other ten-horse power, built expressly for Bush Mills, and a Bone Mill admirably adapted to grind bark for export.

N. B.—All repairs executed in a workmanlike manner, and at moderate charges. 209

ON SALE at the Stores of the undersigned—50 barrels American pork, in prime condition,

R. CAMPBELL, Bligh-street.

Sydney, June 26. 10309

PROMOTION OF THE FINE ARTS.

A VERY laudable spirit having of late been displayed in this colony to foster and encourage colonial artists.

J. V. LAVERS, AND CO. take leave to suggest to its patrons that one method of doing so, is open to the public by the purchase of their blacking, they having lately gone to a very great expense in procuring from the most talented artist in wood-cutting in this colony, Mr Thomas Clayton, a new label for it, which for style and execution they challenge against any similar production from the mother country.

J. V. L. and Co. respectfully request private families to give their blacking a trial, and to instruct their servants to enquire for it at the stores from which they are supplied; or if not to be procured, to send to the manufactory, 335, George-street, opposite the Old Burial Ground, where it can be obtained retail until the article becomes permanently established.

To prevent mistakes the label referred to contains a view of their manufactory, together with a fac simile of Mr. Lavers's handwriting.

335, George-street, Sydney, 2nd July. 185

KAURI SPARS, PLANK, AND BOARDS.

DANTZIC DEALS AND BOARDS.

FOR SALE, at the New Zealand Timber Wharf, next Buchanan and Co.'s, Darling Harbour, Kauri Spars and Plank, with long Sheathing and other Boards, suited for ship, boat, and house building; together with Dantzic deals and boards.

June 26. 10207

ON SALE at the Stores of the undersigned—

Manila rope
Manila wool-lashing
Manila coffee
Manila cigars, 4-a sup.
Twankay tea, in chests
Junk tea, 20 catty boxes
Window glass, assorted sizes
Osnaburghs
Half bleached navy canvas
Seaming twine
Woolpacks
Three-bushel hemp bags
Deals, 3 x 9, 3 x 8, 3 x 11, cut and uncut
Cutlery, assorted
Battens, 2½ x 7 and 9, cut and uncut
Garden rollers
Land rollers
Iron pig troughs
Iron horse racks and mangers
Iron hurdles
Chains, cables, claws, shackles
Chain hooks, rims and pawls, &c.
Wooden shovels
Axles, wheels, iron and wooden ploughs
Turnip and winnowing machines
Prime mess pork, (Irish)
Prime York hams
Dairy and St. Ubes salt
Copper, from 18 to 24 oz.
Sherry wine, in hogsheads and quarter-casks.

JOHN SMITH, Sussex-street.

June 26. 10284

NOW LANDING, ex *Woodbridge*, and on sale by the undersigned—

Fancy plaid cloakings, of the newest and most fashionable styles
Pilot cloths and beavers
Blankets of every description
8-4, 9-4, 10-4 bleached diaper rugs
8-4, 9-4, 10-4 fancy ditto

W. E. MACINTOSH, 171 Queen's Place.

GEORGE STEAD respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he is authorised to sell oranges on the ground, in quantities not less than fifty dozen, and that he will deliver the same, in quantities not less than one hundred dozen, in Sydney or Parramatta. For the ensuing month the charge for the common or sweet orange, Seville, and Tanjarine ditto, will be from 4d. to 6d. per dozen. The Seleta Oranges from 1s. 3d. to 2s. per dozen.

Mariwa, Parramatta River, July 1. 175

COMFITS, LOZENGES, &c.

TO CHALDER begs to inform country storekeepers that they may obtain their supplies, as usual, on advantageous terms, from the old established manufactory, No. 16, Hunter-street, near Bligh-street,

N. B.—Always on hand, Jams, Jellies Marmalades, and Pickles, in small packages to suit the trade. 6081

SICILY WHITE WINE.

A VERY superior sample, equal to Sherry Wine, in convenient packages, on sale at the Rooms of the undersigned.

T. S. MORT, 230 Auctioneer and Broker.

REAL JAMAICA RUM.

THE undersigned has just received a small quantity of real Jamaica Rum of very fine flavour, 28 O.P., which he has bottled, and will sell at thirty shillings per dozen, cash.

GEORGE WILKIE, July 1. London Tavern. 90

WINE IN BOTTLE.

THE Undersigned has now on hand a rich mellow Lisbon Wine, which he would recommend strongly to those parties fond of such wines, as the same quality is seldom to be met with in this colony, and being determined to sell it cheap, he offers it at 24s. per dozen, well worth 36s.

ALSO,

Old crusted port, £1 4s. per dozen
Sherry and other port, £1 ditto
Madeira, £1 1s. ditto

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.

JULY 2.—*Ann*, schooner, 62 tons, Captain Rogers, from Tahiti the 10th, and Upolu the 31st May. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Grimes and child, Mr. and Mrs. Richardon, and Mr. Bunson.

July 2.—*Calypso*, brig, 105 tons, Captain Harrold, from Batavia the 18th May.

July 2.—*Joseph Albino*, schooner, 141 tons, Captain Finness, from Adelaide the 21st June. Passengers—Messrs. J. S. Barnett, Newenham Oliver, Harvey, Lee, Braughton, G. Jarvis, W. Davies, T. Parker, George Horne, Samuel Stocks F. Garden, M'Leod, T. Williams, and William Horncastle.

CLEARANCE.

July 2.—*Navarino*, barque, 463 tons, Captain Dalston, for Guam, in ballast.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.

THIS DAY.—*Union*, for London; *Waterlily*, for Hobart Town; *Cheerful*, for Auckland; *Christina*, for Port Phillip; *Statesman*, for Hongkong *via* Anatam; *Falcon*, for Tahiti; *Navarino*, for Guam; *Shamrock*, steamer, for Port Phillip and Launceston.

TO-MORROW.—*Harponeer*, for London *via* Swansea; *Rosetta*, for Circular Head; *John Bull*, for Auckland.

COASTERS INWARDS.

July 2.—*Elizabeth*, 32, Davis, from Newcastle, with 40 tons coals; *Brothers*, 27, Campbell, from Newcastle, with 35 tons coals; *Mary Jane*, 32, Glendinning, from Newcastle, with 42 tons coals; *Glendyart*, 40, Gregory, from Broulee, with 45 tons potatoes, 24 bushels wheat; *Eleanor*, 14, Trim, from the Hawkesbury, with 250 bushels shells; *Louisa*, 14, Halcrow, from Jervis Bay, with 15 tons potatoes, 4 hides, 2 kegs butter; *William the Fourth*, steamer, 56, Sullivan, from Wollongong, with 150 bags wheat, 60 kegs butter, 10 pigs, 4 calves; *Thistle*, steamer, 127, Mulhall, from Morpeth, with 24 casks tallow, 20 bales wool, 500 sheepskins, 150 hides, 850 bushels grain, 16 trusses hay, 40 pigs.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.

July 2.—*Eleanor*, 16, Trim, for the Hawkesbury, in ballast; *Amphitrite*, 20, Lethbridge, for the Hunter, in ballast; *Brothers*, 27, Campbell, for Newcastle, in ballast; *Elizabeth*, 32 Davis, for Newcastle, in ballast; *William the Fourth*, steamer, 56, Sullivan, for Wollongong, with sundries; *Mary Jane*, 32, Glendinning, for Newcastle, in ballast; *Thistle*, steamer, 127, Mulhall, for Morpeth, with sundries.

IMPORTS.

July 2.—*Calypso*, brig, 105 tons, Captain Harrold, from Batavia—1224 bags sugar, 415 bags coffee, 3 casks nutmegs, H. Fisher; 71 cases foreign brandy, Smith and Campbell.

July 2.—*Joseph Albino*, schooner, 141 tons, Captain Finness, from Adelaide—18 bags sago, W. Barnett; 35 kegs and 2 bags nails, Griffiths, Fanning, and Co.; 430 bags salt, Order.

EXPORTS.

July 2.—*Cheerful*, schooner, 123 tons, Captain Jones, for Auckland (additional): 1 package toys, 1 case tinware, 1 case stationery, 1 case bellows, 4 half-chests Congou tea, 1 bale blinds, 2 cases bottled fruits, 4 boxes candles, 5 boxes soap, 16 bags rice, 1 cask pearl barley, 3 casks and 1 bag cheese, 5 bags pepper, 5 casks herrings, 2 cases tinware, 8 bags salt, 9 bags sugar, 2 bags coffee, 1 cask beef, 1 bag oatmeal, G. Codlin; 12 casks rosin, 5 casks coal tar, 1 cask blocks, 1 bale cotton-wick, 2 ploughs, 6 tons bran, 6 kegs nails, 1 wheat machine, 38 bars iron, 3 tons biscuit, T. Woolley; 1 bale slops, 12 pieces lead, Sheppard and Alger; 2 cases tongues, D. White; 2 bales slops, 3 cases apparel, D. Peden.

July 2.—*Waterlily*, schooner, 155 tons, Captain Pockley, for Hobart Town (additional): 33 bags maize, J. Baptist.

VESSELS LAID ON FOR LONDON.

SATURDAY, JULY 3.

Princess Royal, barque, 543 tons, Van Zuillecom; 293 tons copper ore, 356 casks tallow, and 1130 bales wool, on board.

Ann Bates, barque, 377 tons, Slaughter; 260 tons tallow, 36 tons bones, 6813 horns, 71 casks oil, 120 bales wool, 28 bags copper ore, 27 bags lead ore, and 2000 hides, on board.

Thomas Arbuthnot, ship, 621 tons, Thomson; 9 casks tallow, 36 bales wool, and 111 hides, on board.

Caernarvon, barque, 283 tons, Ellis; not commenced loading.

SHIPS' MAILS.

Mails will be closed at the Post Office, as follow:—

FOR LONDON.—By the *Union*, (P. O. P.); and *Harponeer*, this evening, at 6.

FOR MELBOURNE AND LAUNCESTON.—By the steamer *Shamrock*, this afternoon, at 3.

FOR CALCUTTA AND ENGLAND.—(Overland)—By the *Centaur*, on Monday evening, at 6.

FOR AUCKLAND.—By the *John Bull*, this evening at 6.

VESSELS FOR LONDON.—The *Union* will sail early this morning. The *Harponeer* is expected to resume her voyage for Swansea and London to-morrow. The *Ann Bates* and *Princess Royal* will sail about the 15th instant. The *Thomas Arbuthnot* is now taking in cargo, and the *Caernarvon* will commence about the end of the ensuing week.

The *Calypso* has made a very good run of forty-five days from Batavia. The steamer with the English mails having arrived there from Singapore two days before she sailed, we are placed in possession of English news by her to the 25th March. We regret, however, that in the papers with which we have been favoured no shipping connected with these colonies is given. There were no vessels laid on at Batavia for this port when the *Calypso* sailed. She reports having spoken the brig *City of Sydney*, hence for Launceston the 21st ultimo, off Cape Howe on Monday last—and on Wednesday passed a schooner off the Dromedary, supposed to be the *Thomas Lord*, hence the 26th ultimo.

H.M.S. *Dido*, 20, Captain Maxwell, sailed from Singapore for New Zealand about the end of April. The schooner *Minerva*, Reid, arrived at Singapore from Adelaide on the 28th April, the schooner *Vixen*, from Swan River on the 30th, and the brig *Scout* from the same port on the 1st May.

The cargo of the *Ann* consists of 29 casks cocoanut oil, 9 tuns sperm oil, 400 mats sugar, 10 barrels salmon, 3000 cocoanuts, and 9 barrels slush. She brings a few days later news from Tahiti than that received by the *Falcon* but nothing particular had transpired after the departure of that vessel. The *Urania*, frigate, and two French steamers were lying there when the *Ann* sailed. The following whalers were at Upolu on the 31st May:—*Henry Astor*, American ship, Coffin, thirty-one months out, with 1400 barrels sperm oil; *Christopher Mitchell*, American ship, Acly, twenty-two months out, with 1700 barrels sperm; *Mount Vernon*, American ship, thirty months out, with 1200 barrels oil; *Frolic*, of London, thirty-nine months out, with 1100 barrels sperm. The *Ann* has not spoken any vessels on the passage up.

The *Joseph Albino* brings but little news from Adelaide; the *Dorset*, hence the 7th ultimo, had not arrived there when she sailed.

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.

THIS EVENING, JULY 3,

To commence with the two last Acts of WILLIAM TELL; OR, THE HERO OF SWITZERLAND. William Tell, Mr. Nesbitt; Gesler, Mr. Spencer; Michael, Mr. Griffiths; Braun, Mr. F. Howson; Albert, Madame Torning; Emma, Mrs. Guerin; Agnes, Mrs. Ximenes. After which, the laughable Farce of THE SPECTRE BRIDEGROOM; OR, A GHOST IN SPITE OF HIMSELF. Nicodemus, Mr. Spencer; Paul, Mr. F. Howson; Dickory, Mr. Griffiths; Lavinia, Mrs. Guerin; Georgiana, Madame Carandini. To conclude with a Comic Pantomime entitled THE FAIRY OF THE CORAL CAVE; OR, HARLEQUIN AND THE MAGIC PANCAKE. William, afterwards Harlequin, Signor Carandini; Giles Batterhead, afterwards Pantaloon, Mr. Riley; Dame Batterhead, afterwards Clown, Mr. Torning; Cinnamon, afterwards Columbine, Madame Torning.

DIARY.

MEMORANDA TO NEXT PUBLICATION.

July.		SUN rises	SUN sets	HIGH WATER morn	HIGH WATER even.
3	SATURDAY	7 7	4 53	11 41	0 2
4	SUNDAY	7 7	4 53	0 26	0 53

Moon.—Last quarter, 46 m. past 6, P.M., July 5.

THE

Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1847.

"Sworn to no master, of no sect am I."

THE ENGLISH NEWS.

THE extra sheet which we issued yesterday afternoon will have put our readers in possession of English news to the 25th March; but it must be remembered that we are without any intelligence whatever for the previous fortnight—from the 24th Feb. to the 8th March, the *Home News* being a fortnightly publication, published at the end of the first and third week of every month; and the number that has arrived in Sydney contains the news from the 8th to the 25th March only. Being published expressly for circulation in India, the *Home News* contains no shipping nor commercial intelligence unless it relates to India,—we are therefore without any information relative to the prices of wool, or the sailing or arrival of ships connected with these colonies.

Parliament would adjourn for the Easter recess from the 1st to the 14th April.

Nothing is to be done for emigration, although the people are said to be dying of starvation at the rate of two hundred a day. Lord JOHN RUSSELL has announced that beyond a small sum to assist in removing emigrants from Quebec and Montreal into the interior, no money is to be expended on emigration purposes.

Mr. O'CONNELL had been seriously ill. He had partially recovered, and was about to proceed to the Continent; but it was supposed that he would not be again able to take any part in public life.

We observe no notice of the death of any person of note.

MR. WINDEYER'S LIBEL ACT.

PERHAPS there is no part of the law, which—up to the time of the passing of the late Libel Act in England—had fallen so far behind the wants of society, as the law of Libel, and Slander. In a country which possesses a constitution giving the people at large a control over the actions of those who administer public affairs,—and where indeed power, and responsibility for its exercise is the rule, or supposed rule prevailing throughout all the ramifications of society, it is absolutely necessary that there should be freedom of the Press, commensurate with the calls which must always in such a state of things, be made for its expression. To a certain extent, and of necessity, the law, even before the passing of the Act in question, was approximated to the circumstances of society, by the decisions of Judges, or what BENTHAM called "Judge made law." Thus what has in many cases been called reasonable and temperate strictures upon public men and measures, *bonâ fide* statements made by masters and mistresses of the characters of domestic servants, words spoken in their place, by members of Parliament, and *bonâ fide* complaints of public officials, were for the good of the public privileged, and could not expose parties to any legal liability. So far so good. But this being granted, there were still, until the passing of the Act we have mentioned, absurdities, inconsistencies, and other imperfections of the law of libel and slander, which deservedly drew down upon it the ridicule and contempt of every intelligent and enlightened man. As a *libel* had been defined by Lord MANSFIELD,—and not very inaccurately, as "anything expressed either by written words, by pictures, or by signs, which hurt a man's feelings," it was very difficult to write disapprovingly of any man's conduct, without writing a libel. To expose wickedness, or show up incapacity, was in most cases to make yourself amenable to the libel law. Whether you benefitted society by exposing the villany of some wholesale quack who flourished upon a profitable but destructive patent pill, or by a timely disclosure broke up and defeated some gigantic confederacy of swindlers about to victimise as many of the commercial class as they could take at one haul, you acted with almost as much risk of loss to yourself, considering the difficulties of making out by legal proof the truth of your statements, when you were put to make them good in a Court of law, as if you had attacked a totally innocent person. The bare legal right of pleading and proving the truth of the libel in any given case, was, from this very difficulty of proof, a difficulty arising not merely from the strict rules of judicial evidence, but also from the hazards of failing to discover evidence, or losing it when discovered,—little more in practice, than a seeming advantage in a large majority of cases. For one plea of justification that was proved, there were a dozen, which, notwithstanding their truth, defendants failed to prove. And, therefore, nothing was more common than the defeat and punishment of defendants, for publishing statements universally admitted to be beneficial to the public at large. The preprietors of the London *Weekly Dispatch*, had to pay damages and costs for denouncing the vendors of MORRISON's pills,—although several of these persons were actually found guilty of manslaughter for selling these pills. The proprietors of the *Times* shared the same fate, for nobly exposing the contemplated fraud of a gang of swindlers, and failing afterwards to prove all they had alleged. We might, with reference to the foolish strictness, and technicalities of this part of our law, fill our paper with instances, of wrong and injustice committed according to law. But we hasten to notice the provisions of the new measure, which Mr. WINDEYER, has, (with some unessential alterations) introduced into the Council, and for which he well deserves the thanks of the community in general, and of newspaper proprietors in particular.

By the first clause, (introduced in Committee) the same law is made applicable to oral as to written slander, thus doing away with the absurd distinction which now exists between these two classes of cases. By the present law of libel, to call a respectable woman unchaste is not actionable—to write of her the same thing is a libel, and actionable. The reasons given by the books for this distinction are, that written words indicate more deliberate malice—travel further, and have a greater tendency to cause a breach of the peace than words spoken, and, therefore, as the one case for the reasons alleged is not likely to work *as much* injury as some other case, it shall not have *any remedy at all*. This absurdity is put an end to by the clause above mentioned.

By the second clause, also introduced in Committee, it is enacted that the jury may in an action for defamatory words consider, under the general issue, whether they were spoken on an occassion "when the plaintiff's character was likely to be injured thereby, and find for the defendant if they should not be of opinion, that the words were spoken upon such an occasion." This also appears to us to be a reasonable provision. The third clause enacts that defendants may under regulations therein contained, give an apology in evidence in mitigation of damages. The fourth clause appears to us to be of more questionable merit. It provides that the truth of matters charged shall not be a defence unless the defendant pleads and proves that they were published for the public benefit, and also sets out in his plea, the facts by reason whereof it was for the public benefit that the said matters charged should be published. We are inclined to think the truth should be a defence all the world over; and that the truth, in the long run, is always for the public benefit. By the present clause, we should have a perpetually varying Court of Conscience in the Jury-box, as to what statements of facts were or were not for the public benefit,—a Court of Conscience always likely to be more or less involuntarily swayed by partialities and prejudices, especially in a country like this, where parties are generally known to the tribunal. We are not unmindful of the learned framer's former arguments upon this clause, in which he contended that many charges may be truly brought,—maliciously brought,—of no use to the public, and therefore indefensible. In much of this we may concur, and yet deny the conclusion the learned framer would draw—a conclusion which appears to us to be a short-sighted one. Which is the more probable, that a malicious man would make himself obnoxious to the general censure of society, by publishing a defamatory matter entirely for the gratification of his own malignant feelings? or that injustice may be done by leaving every Jury to say, in each individual case, what statements of facts are likely to benefit the public?

The fifth clause settles that which at present is unsettled, by declaring that faithful and accurate reports (not of an obscene or blasphemous nature) of judicial proceedings shall be privileged from legal liability.

The sixth clause is a very important innovation upon the old law,—allowing a defendant to plead that a libel was inserted without malice, and without gross negligence in the publisher, and also allowing him to apologise, and to pay money into Court, in satisfaction of the cause of action.

Upon this judicious and beneficial alteration, and upon the residue of the Act, we shall take an early opportunity of offering more extended observation. For the present we shall only say, that we hail this Act as one of the most desirable measures that has ever been submitted to the consideration of the Council.

MR. UNDER SHERIFF PROUT'S PETITION.

HAVING trusted merely to memory, when writing the article on Mr. Under Sheriff PROUT's Petition, we find we were incorrect in supposing as therein stated, that the Bill taking away the responsibility of the Sheriff, was introduced by that officer. It appears that he was not in the House at the time, and that the Bill was introduced by Mr. LOWE. We are therefore happy to correct these *non-essential* errors, and for the credit of the colony, shall feel much happier if we can be placed in a position which will enable us to say we were wrong in contending that the Sheriff did nothing, and was responsible for nothing to the public, in return for the thousand a-year he receives from the public taxes.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

FRIDAY.

THE SPEAKER took the chair at the usual hour.

THE SHERIFF.

Mr. COWPER gave notice that on Tuesday next he would move, that an address be presented to his Excellency the Governor, requesting that his Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid upon the table of this House, copies of any despatches from the Right Honorable Secretary of State, ratifying the appointment of A. W. Young, Esq., to be Sheriff of the colony, or having reference to the terms upon which that gentleman was appointed to the office. And also of any correspondence between the colonial Government and the Sheriff in the years 1844 and 1845, respecting the remuneration of the Under Sheriff, and the arrangements consequent upon the refusal of the Council to add a supplement to Schedule A.

THE UPSET PRICE.

Mr. ROBINSON moved, at the request of Mr. Foster, that the motion standing on the paper in the name of Mr. Foster, for Tuesday next, might be postponed until Friday next, the 9th July.

THE DREDGING MACHINE.

Mr. COWPER wished to ask a question of his honorable friend the Colonial Secretary, to whom he had given notice of his intention, if any instructions had been given for the withdrawal of the dredging machine from the Hunter River. Last year they had been told that the machine would not be required there for above six months, but it was still there, to the great detriment of the Sydney harbour.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY said, that the work on which the dredging machine had been engaged was nearly completed, when the machine would be returned to its employment in Sydney Cove. He had had a communication from the Portmaster at the Hunter, under whose charge the machine had been placed, stating that vessels were now enabled to proceed up the river at times of the tide which had been previously considered impracticable.

Mr. WINDEYER hoped the Colonial Secretary would excuse him for putting a question on the same subject, although he had not given the usual notice of his intention to put it. He wished to be informed if the arrangements which had been made with the Australian Agricultural Company with respect to the dredging machine, included the cleaning out of the northern passage. It would be very desirable that this passage should be made available for navigation before the machine was removed, as otherwise the navigation of the river would sometimes become very embarrassing.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY said, the report made to him on the subject was to the effect that all that was necessary had been done, but whether the clearing of this passage was included with all that was necessary, he (the Colonial Secretary) could not take upon himself to say.

RELIGION AND EDUCATION.

Mr. GRANT begged leave to postpone the motion standing in his name until a future day.

MELBOURNE BUILDINGS.

Mr. ROBINSON, pursuant to notice, moved for leave to bring in a Bill for regulating buildings and party walls, and preventing mischiefs by fire, in the town of Melbourne. The Bill, he said, had been drawn up by the Corporation of Melbourne, who considered such a measure was rendered in the highest degree necessary in consequence of the great number of weather-board buildings which had been and were erected in that town. It had been framed almost entirely from the enactments for a similar purpose in London and Sydney.

Leave having been granted, the Bill was read a first time; ordered to be printed, and to be read a second time on Tuesday week.

HAWKERS AND PEDLARS.

Mr. DANGAR moved for leave to bring in a Bill to alter and amend the laws relating to hawkers and pedlars, and for licensing common carriers, in New South Wales, and for preventing the carrying and illegal sale of fermented and spirituous liquors by hawkers, pedlars, and carriers, and the purchasing by them (except from the owner thereof) of wool, tallow, sheep or lamb skins, and cattle or horse hides. In introducing this Bill to the notice of the House he felt it necessary to observe that the law under which hawkers and pedlars were now licensed was one of old standing, having been passed in the year 1834, but the altered circumstances of the colony rendered an alteration necessary. In the year 1844 the hon. and learned member for Sydney introduced a Bill having a similar object in view, which passed all its stages in that House, but did not receive the royal assent in consequence of a difference of opinion between the Government and that House as to the appropriation of the fines to be imposed by authority of that Bill. That objection, however, no longer existed, a Bill having sinced passed which set the question at rest. The Bill he had now the honour of proposing varied in one or two matters from the present law, but most of the clauses were *verbatim* with the before mentioned Bill. Among the alterations, he would mention that at present pedlars were at liberty to travel throughout the colony, but he proposed to confine them to the counties or the police districts in which they obtained their license rendering another license necessary if they carried their trade beyond that limit. In reference to the preventing of hawkers from carrying or selling spirituous or fermented liquors, the law as it at present stood seemed to be very stringent, but it was well known that in the distant parts of the colony, much disorder and inconvenience arose from their supplying the servants of the settlers with the means of intoxication. He proposed also to raise the price of a hawker's or pedlar's license to £4 instead of £1. There was another numerous class of persons whom he wished also to bring within the operation of the present Bill—those who carried goods from the sea coast to the interior, and produce from the interior to the place of shipment. He thought it would be an improvement if they, as well as the hawkers and pedlars, should be compelled to take out a license at some Court of Petty Sessions, where a registration would be made of their names and places of abode, and the production of their license would afford some kind of assurance both to the settlers and the merchants that they were parties to whom their property might safely be entrusted. He would also render it unlawful for either carriers or hawkers and pedlars to have in their possession any spirituous liquors, except as their lading, for which they must produce a note from the party transmitting it; or, not having such bill of lading, any constable shall be authorised to seize such spirituous liquors, and the carrier or hawker be subjected to pains and penalties for having them illegally in possession. Owing to the scarcity of store accommodation in the interior, it was well known that wool, tallow, hides, skins, &c., were very seldom, if ever, kept under lock and key, and were consequently exposed to depredation by dishonest servants, who frequently bartered such property for supplies from hawkers on the road. He had introduced a clause prohibiting the purchase of wool, tallow, hides, &c., from any person but the actual owner thereof. He thought that on the whole the Bill would be found applicable to the present wants of the colony, and would therefore move for leave to introduce it.

Mr. WENTWORTH seconded the motion.

Mr. COWPER thought that the evils complained of by the honorable member in introducing this measure were greater than could be surmounted by any legislative measure. He thought it would save a great deal of time, and the object would be as well attained, if the Bill were again introduced which they had before passed, but for which, in consequence of the differences existing as to the appropriation of the fees, penalties, &c., they could not then obtain the Royal assent.

Mr. WENTWORTH said, that the Bill alluded to was incorporated in the present—the only new clauses being those which had been particularly alluded to by the honorable member who brought it forward.

The Bill was then received, and read a first time, ordered to be printed, and to be read a second time this day fortnight.

JURY BILL.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL moved that the petition from Berrima, in reference to the Jury Bill now before the House, be printed.

The AUDITOR-GENERAL seconded the motion, which was put and carried.

CIRCULAR QUAY BILL COMMITTEE.

The COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS moved, that the name of Francis Lord, Esq., be, with the concurrence of that gentleman, struck from the Circular Quay Bill Committee.

The AUDITOR-GENERAL seconded the motion.

Mr. LORD stated that he was desirous that his name should be removed, because he found it was generally supposed that he had an interest in some of the property contiguous to the Circular Quay, and for the taking of which compensation would be recommended by the Committee.

The motion was put and carried.

LAW OF LIBEL.

Mr. WINDEYER moved that the Law of Libel Bill be read a second time. As he had explained the nature and objects of this Bill when he first introduced it, he should not detain the House with any remarks, further than to state the matter of the clauses he proposed to introduce into the Bill with regard to sureties. He was not prepared when he introduced the Bill, to lay before the Council these clauses, but he had since had an opportunity of conferring on the subject with the proprietors of the four leading papers of Sydney, and he was happy to state that the whole of them on that occasion concurred in approval of having the English law in its entirety, introduced into the colony. They thought that cases like that of Captain O'Connell should be avoided, and saw no difficulty in obtaining the requisite sureties. They however suggested that a clause should be introduced, which would provide against the necessity for a second action, under which the plaintiff in an action on obtaining a verdict might go upon the sureties at once. He must however state, that he did feel surprised, when he received on the following day, a letter from one of the parties, revoking the opinions he had expressed on the previous day, and enclosing a document for his reasons, which he supposed had been prepared as a leading article, in which he (Mr. Windeyer) was charged with a design to subvert the liberty of the press, and accusing him of political trickery in bringing forward the measure. If, however, that party thought he should be deterred in the course he had adopted by such an attack, he was pitiably mistaken. Such loose fires might burn up the young sapling, but they would not affect the old standard trees of the forest. The shame and indecency of such a cause could only excite his contempt, for he deemed himself proof against such paper pellets. It was only one instance to the too prevalent rule, that do what you will to serve any man, you must expect to be repaid with ingratitude. When he came, however, to consider how the clauses respecting these sureties should be framed, he found it extremely difficult to frame clauses that could not be as easily evaded as the present law. He had, therefore, after some consideration, adopted a medium course, and had endeavoured to make the present law more stringent and effective. He believed at present that most of the papers which it was necessary should enter into securities not to publish blasphemous and indecent libels really had not entered into such securities. To remedy this defect, he had framed two clauses. The first of these provided that a party should, on obtaining a verdict, at his own risk issue execution on the types and press actually used in printing such libel. Some people might think that this was the law now, but it was not so in effect. The press and types were required to be registered; but it happened often that they were not registered in the real proprietor's name, but some man of straw was put forward to stand the brunt of the battle, and give the real owner time to escape, and thus it was found that before the aggrieved party could obtain a remedy, a second action against the real printer had to be brought. He had introduced this clause with a view to prevent this. It had been suggested that some clause should be introduced to prevent the transfer of these materials; but he had hardly thought this necessary. The second clause provided that no printer or proprietor of a newspaper or other publication should enjoy any of the benefits of the Act unless he had complied with all its requirements; and this he hoped would have the effect of causing all parties to enter into the required securities. If their intentions were honest and correct they could not object to do so, and if not, they did not deserve to share in the benefits of the Act. He would now move that the Bill be read a second time.

Mr. ROBINSON seconded the motion.

The Bill was read a second time, and ordered to be considered in committee on Tuesday next.

HACKNEY CARRIAGES.

Mr. WENTWORTH obtained leave to postpone the Bill for the regulation of Hackney Carriages till Friday next.

INDECENT ASSAULTS BILL.

Mr. WENTWORTH obtained leave to postpone the Indecent Assaults Bill till Friday next.

LIEN ON WOOL BILL.

Mr. WENTWORTH moved that the Lien on Wool Bill be read a third time.

Bill read a third time and passed, and ordered to be presented to His Excellency the Governor for the Royal assent, by the Speaker, the Colonial Auditor, and the Attorney-General.

DISTILLATION.

The order of the day being called for hearing of counsel at the Bar of the House on behalf of Mr. Lord, in reference to the Distillation Bill before the House, It was moved and seconded that the learned counsel be called in.

Mr. BROADHURST having been introduced to the Bar by the Serjeant-at-Arms, addressed the Speaker. Their honorable House having assented to the petition of Mr. Lord, to be heard by counsel, in reference to the Distillation Laws Consolidation Amendment Bill, which had been introduced to the House during the session, he had now the honour of appearing before them on Mr. Lord's behalf, and in bringing forward those prominent features of the Bill at which Mr. Lord felt aggrieved, he should endeavour to make his observations as brief as possible, as he felt such a course would be alike best for the interest of his client, and in respect to the House, not to abuse the indulgence that had been granted to him. The Bill was entitled, "A Bill to consolidate and amend the laws relating to the distillation and rectifying of spirits," and first he must throw himself on the indulgence of the House, for although they had consented to postpone the Bill longer than it was perhaps convenient, still it was not long enough to give him time to consider sufficiently a Bill of such voluminous details, so numerous in its clauses, and so highly technical in its character. He said it with the greatest respect, but he believed that even the House could hardly understand this Bill, that they could not be familiar with its technical words, and what would be its practical operation, for these could only be understood by scientific persons, or practical distillers. Every distiller knew that he must in the pursuance of his trade submit to very many harrassing and painful restrictions. That for the benefit of the public it was necessary that he should be subject to all the hardships which the intricate machinery of the Excise laws involved; but he also imagined that it would be the anxious wish of every British Legislature, that these restrictions should not be more oppressive,—should not be more vexatious than was absolutely required for the public good. He should abstain from any remarks on the general policy of such laws, but would state this, that although with regard to the general community the Bill was a public one, yet with regard to Mr. Lord, it assumed distinctly and strictly the aspect of a private measure, and this because whilst it affected all except him in one common way, it affected him peculiarly and personally. The object of the Bill was, to make distillers pay duties for all the spirits they distilled according to their strength, and if it could be shown that this object could be effected in a way much shorter, much simpler than that provided in the 148 clauses of the present measure, he must presume that the House and the Government would gladly dispense with such clauses as were not necessary or conducive to the end to be attained, and it would therefore be his duty to show, on behalf of Mr. Lord, that this Bill in its present shape would not have the effect of protecting the revenue and the public, whilst it would be very vexatious to the distiller. In fact he had been instructed that were the Bill without the title submitted to men conversant with the practice of distilling, that nine persons out of ten would unhesitatingly state its title to be, "An Act to abolish Distillation in New South Wales." He was further instructed that if the Council would examine competent witnesses on the subject, they would find that many of the clauses rendered the process of distillation actually and physically impossible. He must believe that it was not the intention of the House to abolish distillation at present, but that this Act was designed to prevent distillation without imposition on the public, but it certainly was not fitted to carry out this object. Mr. Lord stood in this position. He had proposed to become a distiller, knowing the ordinary restrictions of excise which he would have to encounter, and he was willing to submit to those restrictions. He would also state that he came before them in perfect integrity, conscious that these restrictions, and all others that were requisite to the public good, must be submitted to; but still anxious not to be bound by provisions to which it was impossible to conform. Mr. Lord had thus prepared himself under the Act at present in force, to which, although sufficiently vexatious, he was willing to conform. He believed there were only two distilleries within the county of Cumberland, if not in the whole colony, and Mr. Lord was the *quasi* owner of one of them. He wanted to distil; but was met by an Act which rendered it impossible for him to do so. The Bill bore on the interests, he could hardly say of a class, but of individuals, more than was necessary, and he did not believe that it could be the wish of the House that it should do so. The question of these restrictions in distillation had evidently been one of great difficulty on which to legislate. He found in the preamble of the proposed Bill, that it repealed six Acts, the first no older than the third year of the present reign, being the 3rd Victoria, No. 9. The other Acts were the 5th Victoria, No. 16; the 7th Victoria, No. 8; the 7th Victoria, No. 27; the 8th Victoria, No. 10; and the 9th Victoria, No. 26. The object of the present Bill seemed to him to be little else than to put all these Acts in one, as the six Acts contained only 160 clauses altogether, while the present Act contained 148. If they did not know how necessarily strict the Excise laws were required to be, it would seem in a free country that the certificate of three Justices of the Peace as to the character of the distiller would be enough; and that the Government would be glad to allow such a man to distil, knowing that though he did so distil for his own purposes, that he would, by properly discharging his duties, do good to the country at large by employing many men, and by consuming grain the produce of the colony. But the certificate of the three magistrates was not enough; they were also bound to enter into a recognizance of £500 and find sureties to the like amount, though neither of these provisions were deemed necessary in the Imperial Act. But even this was not enough, but a license fee of £50 must be demanded, whilst the license fee under the Imperial Act was only £10. This, Mr. Lord thought, was a grievance. He did not object to the required certificate—he did not object to the recognizance; but he thought this tax in the shape of license fee, though even that he was ready to pay, was grievous and oppressive. Even with the character he was required to substantiate he did not complain that the Government should still keep its eye upon him, because though honest now, he might turn smuggler. But the Government was not content with that, but said that he might not go and distil on such premises as he liked. Under the Act 9th Victoria, the present Act, a wall was required round the whole of the distillery, and the Glenmore distillery was according to the provisions of that Act. The wall was all round, with one entrance, so that there was no difficulty in seeing what sugar went in and what spirits came out. If this was accomplished, he supposed the ends of the Act would be satisfied; and he was instructed, that if the House would take evidence on the matter, they would find that the wall was all that was required. He would describe the distillery in a rough way. Within a high wall stood a large building of three or four stories; in the lower one the sugar was placed, and mixed up with water in wash-tubs, and when this mixture had been properly mashed up, it was pumped up into coolers in the top story, where the liquor became what was technically called worts. It remained there till it became in a fit state to be sent down through pipes into large vessels called vats, and there became what is called wash. It was then again conveyed into the wash charger, from thence into the stills, which were all in the same room as the wash charger, and being distilled in the still, travelled through the worm into the receiver. Thus it would be seen that the stills were all under one roof. But under the proposed Bill it was thought this wall was insufficient. The 9th clause, which was pretty much the same with the existing act, provided:

And be it enacted, That no license to distil spirits shall be granted or renewed, unless it be certified by the Colonial Architect, or other person appointed by the said Governor to grant such certificate, that the wall surrounding the premises within which the business of distillation is to be carried on, is built of strong and durable materials; that no portion of it is of less height than ten feet from the ground; that the surface of the wall is smooth, and that it is, in the opinion of the person granting the certificate, sufficient for the purposes of security intended by this Act; that there is a space of five feet between it and the distillery building; that there is but one entrance through it, and that such entrance is secured by a closely pannelled door or gate, not less in height than the full height of the wall; and that such door or gate is provided with sufficient locks or fastenings.

But with a jealousy bordering almost on Turkish jealousy, the tenth clause provided additional security.

And be it enacted, that no license shall be granted for the distillation of spirits, unless it be certified by the Colonial Architect, or other person appointed by the said Governor to grant such certificate, that the still or stills, for which a license is sought to be obtained, are erected and placed in houses not less than thirty-two yards from any other house, and that the premises in which the said business shall be carried on, shall be surrounded by a wall not less than ten feet high, and not less than forty-eight feet from the still-house enclosed thereby; and there shall not be more than one entrance into the said premises: Provided, nevertheless, that such distilleries as are licensed previously to the passing of this Act shall not be affected by the provisions of this clause, as regards the distance from any other house, or from the surrounding wall.

It certainly appeared to him that one of these two clauses had crept into the Act by mistake, and he did not know which the present licensed distillers were to be bound by. If the latter, it would be almost impossible to carry it out, as the stills would have to be removed at an immense expense, whilst next year a yet new Bill might enact that he should have a separate house for each still. Mr. Lord would be mad to enter into the trade under such circumstances. He did submit, that the present licensed distillers having complied with the provisions of the existing Act, ought to be exempted from these fresh alterations. He was informed that night and day there was constantly an officer living on the premises, besides their being always open to the visits of the Inspectors. This Mr. Lord did not complain of, nor of other precautions, such as having a man on the premises, pipes, &c, provided under the 13th clause of the Act, the breach of which was punishable with a penalty of £200. It was hardly possible to conceive an Act more penal in its character than this, for a majority of the clauses carried penalties, most of them of £200. The Government surely did not wish to keep the licensed distillers in continual dread of these penalties, without they were necessary for the public good. He did not wish to speak disrespectfully of the framers of the Act, they had evidently considered the subject, but it appeared to him that they had fallen into the error of framing a compilation of clauses from colonial and English acts, instead of framing an act to meet their own purposes. The law as it prevailed in England, the 9 George 4, required no wall round the premises at all; no certificate, no recognizance, and the license fee was only £10. Therefore, as he was instructed, the wall was a sufficient protection against fraud, without all the complex machinery required in England, where they had no walls. Immense sums had been expended in making the colonial distilleries comply with the Acts passed in the colony, until they were at present, totally unfit for any purpose but distilling, and therefore if prohibition to distilling were enforced, the premises must be still on Mr. Lord's hands. Isolated as they were, with proper watchfulness, with a map showing at a glance every feature of the distillery, it was impossible but that an officer always on the spot must see all the sugar that went in, and all the spirits that went out. But they were not content that people should go out—that they must go out one way only, where they must be seen, but had introduced restrictions into the interior of the distillery, justified in England where there was no other method of detecting fraud, except these mere scientific tests, which the technical clauses of the Bill involved; but not justified here, where all chance of fraud might be prevented more effectually by the simple physical means that had been provided. They must recollect, too, that there was not an officer always in the distilleries in England,—it was impossible there should; and it was equally impossible that they should be encircled with high walls; but both precautions were taken here, and these supplementary precautions, were adopted not because they were necessary to their circumstances, but because they were required by the totally different circumstances of England. The present Act was quite sufficient for all purposes of protection against fraud, and this restraint the distillers were ready to bear, and since the physical restraint of walls, bolts, and bars was more effective than any other. It might indeed be said that other distilleries would arise—this was not very likely—as under the 5th clause of the Act it was provided that each still must be capable of holding 2000 gallons, and as there was no such still in the colony, and as such a still could not be worked here to advantage, it was not likely any man would choose to embark his capital in the trade. It would too, in an economical point of view, be much cheaper to have officers constantly watching these distilleries than to have officers who would be able to carry out all the machinery of the late clauses of the Act. In England, they must have officers to enforce these clauses, it was the only test they had; but here it was most grievous to have two sets of precautions, one of which was perfectly unnecessary. The existing Act was of few clauses, the proposed one had 148—the additional ones being chiefly taken from the Imperial Act, and these were those complained of as unnecessary—clauses that could do no good. The 52nd and 53rd clauses were peculiarly annoying. They were—

LII. And be it enacted, that every cock required by this Act to be kept or used, shall be made and constructed in such manner as shall be from time to time approved of by the Chief Inspector of Distilleries; and if any cock required by this Act to be kept or used shall be made, constructed, or used otherwise, or differently than as at that time shall be directed, prescribed, or approved of by the Chief Inspector of Distilleries, the distiller or rectifier by whom such cock shall be kept or used, shall forfeit and pay the sum of fifty pounds.

LIII. And be it enacted, that every distiller or rectifier shall, at his own expense and charge, provide, maintain, and keep the several utensils, cocks, pumps, pipes, and troughs, which are required by this Act, and shall also provide, maintain, and keep, at his own expense and charge, proper and sufficient fastenings for securing the several cocks and plugs required by this Act to be secured, and for securing the covers of all belonging to the chargers and receivers hereinbefore mentioned respectively, and also for securing the furnace doors, pumps, safes, pipes, vessels, and utensils permitted, allowed, or required for the purposes mentioned in this Act.

They subjected the distiller to a great deal of unnecessary expense and uncertainty: for what one inspector might approve another might disapprove. He now proceeded to a class of clauses which he should call technical clauses and on these clauses he felt persuaded that the Council could never arrive at any proper conclusion without the evidence of scientific and competent men. There were provisions in these clauses, he was instructed, that would render it absolutely impossible to distil, that were of such a nature that it would render it an act of insanity in any man to embark in the trade. The 74th and 75th were two of these clauses:—

And be it enacted, that as soon as the back or backs specified in the notice last aforesaid shall have been filled or set up, or within two hours after such notice shall have been given to the officer on duty, the distiller, or his servant, shall deliver to the officer on duty a declaration in writing, specifying the number of the back or backs into which such wort shall have been conveyed, and the specific gravity of such wort, and the quantity thereof; that is to say, the number of inches not occupied or wetted by the worts, being the space between the upper edge of the dipping place of such back or backs and the surface of the worts; and no yeast or barm, or other matter or thing capable of causing fermentation, shall be added to or mixed with the worts, or allowed to be in such back or backs for the space of two hours next after such worts shall have been collected in such back or backs, and after such declaration shall have been given thereof as aforesaid, unless the officer on duty shall within such two hours have ascertained and taken an account of the specific gravity and quantity of such worts; and if any worts shall be conveyed into and collected in any fermenting back or backs in any other manner than as is herein directed, or if such declaration shall not be given as is herein required, or if any untrue declaration shall be given of the specific gravity or quantity of any such worts, or it any yeast, barm, or other matter or thing capable of causing fermentation shall be so added to or mixed with any worts, or allowed to be in any such back or backs contrary hereto, then, and in each and every such case, the distiller shall forfeit and pay the sum of two hundred pounds.

And be it enacted, that if at any time beyond six hours after any such declaration as aforesaid shall have been delivered, the specific gravity of any such worts or wash shall be found to exceed the specific gravity specified in such declaration by five *per centum*; or if the quantity of any such worts or wash shall be found to exceed by five *per centum* the quantity of wort mentioned in such declaration as the quantity collected as aforesaid, then, and in each and every such case, such distiller shall forfeit the sum of two hundred pounds.

Now, he was informed that nearly all spirits distilled in the colony were distilled from sugar. But the material was very different to that used in England; and this combined with atmospheric influence, would render what was quite safe and right there, quite the contrary here. The process of fermentation required to be aided here by artificial means, and if this delay was allowed to take place the liquor would be turned to vinegar. What reason was there for this interference with the process of distillation? It was not pretended that it was to regulate the quality of the spirit distilled, but merely to prevent fraud, which was more effectually prevented another way. He would most strenuously urge upon the Council not to allow this Act to pass until the evidence of scientific men had been taken on these clauses. The 91st clause, too, was very objectionable, providing for the mode of charging duties. It was proposed that the option should be given of charging the duty on the spirit, or on a quantity of wash calculated to be capable of producing so much spirit. But if, as he contended, it was quite easy to ascertain exactly what quantity of spirit left the distillery, and at what strength what the good of providing this alternative? He contended these clauses were unnecessary and vexatious, and that many of them rendered the distiller responsible for what were the inevitable acts of nature. He earnestly, but respectfully, pressed upon the House to take these matters into consideration, and to take evidence which would satisfy them of the validity or invalidity of the objections he had taken to the Act. If they were valid objections he was sure the House would not act so unjustly to Mr. Lord as to pass what would be an act of prohibition to him, without the shadow of benefit to the public. The Act now was, to use a distiller's expression, "wash," and it would have to be distilled, and doubly distilled, in Committee before it could be made effectual to the simple purpose for which it was intended. The learned counsel then withdrew.

MASTERS AND SERVANTS.

The House went into Committee on the Masters' and Servants' Act, and proceeded as far as the first nine clauses, which were passed with a few verbal alterations.

The Council then resumed, and the Chairman reported progress, and obtained leave to sit again on Tuesday next.

PUBLICANS' BILL.

Mr. WENTWORTH obtained leave to postpone the further consideration in Committee of the Publicans' Bill, till Friday next.

The Council adjourned at seven o'clock till three o'clock on Tuesday.

DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE.

INSOLVENCY PROCEEDINGS.

THERE were no meetings held yesterday.

MEETING FOR TO-DAY.

Augustine Becker Swifte, an adjourned single meeting, at half-past eleven.

MEETING FOR MONDAY.

John Shannon, a single meeting, at half-past ten.

SOCIETY FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE FINE ARTS IN AUSTRALIA.

FIRST EXHIBITION.

(Continued from Wednesday.)

SINCE the publication of our running commentary of Wednesday we have received a note from "One of the Committee," requesting us to state, with reference to our remarks on Nos. 16 and 17, that the Committee resolved to receive in all cases, without comment, the assigned authorship of the paintings, although in many cases the mistakes were both evident and absurd. We beg to assure the writer that we had no intention of reflecting on the taste or judgment of the Fine Arts Committee. We thought we had guarded ourselves from such an imputation by our prefatory remarks,—we know the members of the Committee too well to believe that such a mistake could have occurred in the catalogue through ignorance. We have all along given the members of Committee credit for their taste and perseverance; but it would have been surprising if such a catalogue could have been concocted in a single day without a few slips of the pen. We may here state that we consider ourselves as liable to be mistaken in our judgment of the paintings as any member of the Committee. Our remarks are not certainly thrown off at random—we have had the benefit of professional assistance to fortify our own opinions; but we never were so insane as to believe that we could speak as we thought of the paintings and still speak so as to please all parties.

32. *The Marriage of St. Catherine—Janssens.*—We see nothing in the picture to warrant the title. To us it appears more like the marriage of some warrior; nor does the presence of the cupids shake our belief. A good old picture, well composed.

33. *A River Scene—Vandervelde.*—All that remains of a genuine picture we believe. From its elevated position we can't say much of its details, but the composition seems good.

34. *Æneas and his Family escaping from the Burning of Troy—Frederico Barroccio—with an Engraving of the same by Agostino Carracci.*—The largest and, we should imagine, about the most valuable painting in the exhibition. An undoubted original by a celebrated master. When first exhibited it was so dark that we had to refer to the print for the subject. It has now been varnished, and we are enabled to look better into it. A first-class picture—drawing, composition, grouping, and accessories, all excellent. It has been re-touched we think, in the back ground; but the chief group is as it came from the hands of the master—barring the dirt. The light is chiefly reflected from the flames of the burning city. Broad effective force of light and shade. The colouring, particularly the shadows, not improved by the dust of three hundred years. If the painting were ours we should have the varnish removed, and the colours brought out by careful cleaning. The engraving is excellent, scarce, and valuable.

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35. *Virgin and Child, with St. John—after Murillo.*—After a good picture—a good copy, by an old hand. The transparency of the back ground gone.

36. *Landscape — Artist unknown* — A clever sketch, by a clever artist. Good effect—good feeling—fine repose.

37. *Fête Champêtre—Watteau* —A characteristic painting, by a fantastic but elegant master, a very agreeable effect, easy and graceful; its greenness is occasioned by an accumulation of varnish on the blue and grey tints.

38. *Peasants Travelling—Karl de Jardin.*—An original, but not a very good specimen of the master; colouring good.

39. *The Fortune Teller—Kidd.*—A pleasant conceit well delineated, the light well thrown, drawing and composition good.

40. *Tempé, the Seat of A. B. Spark, Esq.—J. S. Prout* —An example of Prout's power of transmutation. We question whether such a picturesque view of Tempé could be seen except by an artist's eye.

41. *The Idle Boy—Artist unknown.*—A very clever sketch of a very idle dog.

42. *Portrait of Rear Admiral Sir Arthur Farquhar—Watson.*—A pleasing portrait of a gallant officer now no more.

43. *Portrait of a Gentleman —John Irvine.*—A very good characteristic portrait, well drawn and painted.

44. *Greek Girl Preparing for the Toilet—Geddes.*—A prize painting, a pretty and pleasing picture, but placed where it is (and the remark applies to Nos. 57 and 63) it loses some of the effective force which it possessed in a room by itself. The face and the hands are very delicately drawn, and the drapery well disposed; the arrangement of colour and general toning good. Nothing Greek about the figure but the name.

45. *Italian Landscape—Dessmen.*—Rather brilliantly coloured, distance well managed, composition good.

46. *Sea-piece—Artist unknown.*—A clever dashing sketch, sea painted with freedom, very liquid, and ships boldly drawn.

47. *A Portrait—Janssens.*—A chef d'œuvre: admirable head—reality itself—beautifully and carefully drawn and well preserved, and the dress minutely elaborated.

48. *A View near Runnymede—Stark.*—Rather cold in tone, but admirably handled, a prize picture.

49. *The Cottage Girl—after Rembrandt* —An old and clever copy of the larger original (a square picture) in the Dulwich Gallery—strong effect even from the high position which it occupies; the softness and breadth of Rembrandt's light somewhat gone from the ground having lost its transparency. Over varnished.

50. *Portrait of the late Sir Francis Forbes—Briggs.* — Well drawn—easy position, and striking likeness—three important features in a portrait; but the picture wants toning, or it is hung in a very bad light.

51. *Portrait of the Hon. Mrs. Keith Stewart, daughter of Sir Charles and Lady Mary Fitz Roy —Rippengille.*—A beautiful unaffected portrait of a lovely aristocratic looking girl, perhaps one of the most generally admired pictures in the room—well drawn and delicately painted; a pleasing picture from a fine model. Worthy of a valued place among its possessors' household gods.

52. *Children and Fruit—Gillemans.*—An exquisite painting; figures and fruit and landscape all good—effective at a distance and loses nothing by the closest inspection.

53. *Landscape and Sheep*:—54. *Rustic Landscape—Smith.*—Two pretty bits; the trees laid in with considerable skill, and the sheep well drawn.

55. *Girl Praying—from Murillo.*—We doubt it, but still it is a good picture, both in drawing, colouring, and effect.

56. *Portrait of a Gentleman.*—A fair performance and good likeness.

57. *The Gow Chrom reluctantly conducting the Glee Maiden to a place of safety—R. S. Lauder.*

63. *The Italian Bowlers—M'Innes.* Our columns have already been devoted to a lengthened description of these two prize pictures. We still consider them fine paintings; but neither of them has gained in value by being placed in their present position. The colouring of 63 will not stand a comparison with the surrounding works of antiquity. The subject is too large for the canvas.

58. *A Female Head—Caravaggio.*—A striking bold original, of a powerful master. The colours might have been laid on with a trowel. Admirable expression—evidently a study from life—and almost as fresh as it came from the easel 350 years ago.

59. *A Scotch Landscape—View of the Waters of Leith—by a Lady.*—A true and characteristic sketch; cold in effect, but boldly drawn; a pretty piece of romantic scenery. While our amateurs can produce such painting as this, we need not fear for the progress of our society.

60. *A Landscape—Artist unknown.*—We believe this is called a copy; it may be, but we should not quarrel with one who called it an original. It is an admirable picture; boldly and correctly designed and painted.

61. *A Sea-piece—Artist unknown.*—A bold and clever sketch in the manner of 116.

62. *The Harriet and Asp off Torbay.*—A large picture; correctly drawn, but feeble and cold in effect; nothing striking in the disposition of the light and shade.

64. *Administration in the Wilderness—Murillo.*—A clever performance, whoever be the author. Colouring clear, and well preserved, the treatment of the figures betrays the hand of a master; a picture well toned—a singular design—the table cloth and wine cooler seem rather queer accessories in the wilderness.

65. *Landscape, Ruins, Morning—Des Palliers.*—A poor performance, hard outline, harsh effect.

66. *Interior with Figures—Artist unknown.*—Composition and light and shade good—heavy in the colour.

67. *The Mother's Grave—James Gees.*—A simple story, simply and gracefully told, clearly painted, and well grouped. It would bear a little glazing, we think.

68. *Landscape with Bridge—O'Connor.*—Bold original treatment, broad effect of light and shade.

69. *Portraits—Sir Godfrey Kneller.*—Characteristic of the artist and his times; stiff, formal and dull. We have our doubts about the genuineness of the picture, but giving it the benefit of the doubt does not add much to its praise.

70. *Apollo and Daphne, after Carracci.*—Good composition and colouring, clever foreshortening; a fair copy, but rather heavy in effect.

71. *Portrait of a Bishop of Trieste, after Vandyke—John Irvine.*—A fair copy of an admirable original.

72. *Landscape and Figures, after Berghem.*—A good copy, from an original picture.

73. *An old Man Reading—Artist unknown.*—Somewhat in the manner of Gerard Dow, but a very middling performance.

74. *Rural Courtship—Passmore.* — Skilfully painted, and finely toned; good composition, light and shade.

75. *A Study of a Head—Artist unknown.*—Beautifully drawn and painted: in good preservation, light admirably thrown on the face.

76. *Venus and Adonis—Runciman.*—A dash of the Fuseli School; the composition and the colouring good, but the drawing faulty. It is not the Venus nor the Adonis of poetical antiquity.

77. *Portrait of a Gentleman*; 78. *Portrait of a Lady*; 79. *Portrait of a Young Lady—Forbes.*—Not highly finished, but bold and clever portraits, by an artist who has a masterly use of his tools.

80. *Portrait of Key Sing, nephew to the Emperor of China, and Imperial Commissioner.*—*Lamqua.*—A very characteristic head, correct drawing; but no transparency in the shadows.

81. *A View of Snowden, North Wales—Artist unknown.*—Good composition, but the light on old Snowden too glaring, and not carried through the picture.

82. *An Allegorical Painting—after Rubens.*—The Holy Family, with a presentation of Saints. We can discover, we think, St. George, St. John, and St. Sebastian, but we cannot unriddle the allegory; an old, middling copy, from a fine painting.

83.—*Autumn—Artist unknown.*—Clear, forcible colouring; effective picture.

84. *Judgment of Solomon—An imitation of Rubens—Jordaens.*—A middling copy of Ruben's celebrated picture.

85 and 105. *Portrait of a Lady, and Portrait of a Gentleman—Westall.*—Two undoubted Westalls, strong and clear colouring, but tame and feeble effect, from deficiency of shadow;—this deficiency much more perceptible in the male figure.

86. *A Landscape, with Cattle and Figures—Zuccarelli.*—A genuine picture, the figures and cattle excellent, and almost too bold for the soft elaborated landscape.

87. *A Landscape with Cattle — Smith.*—A pretty bit, nicely toned effect, disproportion in size of figures.

88. *Woman Asleep—Artist unknown.*—Better designed than executed. Light and shade not amiss.

89. *Portrait of a Gentleman—Artist unknown.*—An excellent painting, good and effective in all respects.

90. *Muscipula—after Sir Joshua Reynolds.*—A fair copy of a celebrated picture. It is a treat to look even on a copy of Sir Joshua. What breadth of light and shadow.

91. *A Composition—the Landscape by Zuccarelli, the Cattle and Figures by a contemporary Artist.*—An original, the figures and cattle, though not equal to those in 86, match better with the landscape.

92. *A Landscape—Macneil M'Leay.*—A pretty landscape, admirably treated.

93. *Virgin and Christ—Artist unknown.*—Some good points about this picture; the anatomy of the dead Christ good—composition rather formal. The effect is rendered somewhat harsh by the colours sinking into the ground.

94. *Sea-piece—Ships in a Calm—Vandervelde.*—An undoubted original; painted with the usual care and skill of the master. Fine sky—great harmony. A capital study for our juvenile marine painters.

95. *Portrait of Dr. M'Crae—John Irvine.*—A pleasing and imposing painting at a distance. A closer examination shows that the figure is not in a graceful nor easy attitude; the horse is incorrectly drawn—particularly the hind quarters; the dog is admirable. The tone of the picture is good.

96. *St. Nicolo—Artist unknown.*—A fine old picture; the canvas wants stretching; composition good, and the torch light well diffused over the group. The drawing and colouring are not very good.

97. *A Dutch River, frozen, with figures—Artist unknown.*—If this is not a genuine Isaac Ostade it will pass for one marvellously well. Look at the tone of the picture—look at the disposition and drawing of the figures; above all, look at the white horse, and the leafless trees, and tell us not that the artist is unknown.

98. We think it will be advisable in our next exhibition to keep the works of our colonial artists and amateurs separate and distinct from the rest of the catalogue.

99. *The Holy Family—Artist unknown.*—A good old painting—drawing, grouping, and general treatment good. Harsh from sinking of colours.

100. *Portrait of a Lady—Artist unknown.*—The companion of 89—evidently done by the same hand; equally good in all respects. A fine young couple, all of the olden time.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

Mr. Mort—At his Rooms, at half-past 11 o'clock, Bacon, Beef; at 12 o'clock, Wool, Tallow, Hides, Sheepskins.

Mr. S. Lyons—At his Mart, at 11 o'clock, Office Furniture, Ironmongery, &c.

Mr. Stubbs—At his Mart, at 11 o'clock, Orleans Cloth, Cabbage and Turnip Seed, Pianoforte, Household Furniture, Horses, Gig, Phaeton, Stable Fittings, Water Tuns, Garden Seats, and Sundries.

Mr. Stewart—At his Stables, York-street, at 12 o'clock, Horses, Colts, Mare, Gig and Harness.

Messrs. Hodge and Pleffel—At the residence of Mrs. C. Brown, City Restaurant, corner of Pitt and Park streets, at 12 o'clock, Household Furniture, Pictures, Wearing Apparel, &c.

Supreme Court.—Equity Jurisdiction.—The Primary Judge in Equity will sit to-day for the purpose of hearing business specially appointed for to-day, and to deliver the judgment in the case of Hunter *v.* O'Hara.

Large Custard Apple.—The largest specimen of this hitherto scarce fruit has been grown by Mr. Vince Carr, of Pennant Hills. It was exhibited yesterday in the Police Court; it is well formed, and weighed 20 oz. avoirdupois.

Important to Publicans. — All publicans who have been granted night licenses, and have not taken them out, are required, by a notice posted at the Police Office yesterday afternoon, to take out the same without delay, as in the event of their not doing so, if found selling after the time named in their general license, they will be proceeded against for selling after hours.

Removal, &c.—The Mayor and Mr. Windeyer yesterday approved of the removal of James Gannon's license as a publican, from the Rum Puncheon, Lower George street, to the Rum Puncheon, corner of Castlereagh and Campbell streets. A packet license has also been granted to Captain Allen, for the steamer *Tamar*, trading between Sydney and Moreton Bay.

SYDNEY MARKETS.—Friday.

Wheat.—We have received a full supply during the week, and the price of the best colonial ranges from 4s to 5s per bushel. No sales of Van Diemen's Land to report, but importers are asking 5s 6d to 6s.

Flour. — The usual quantity for consumption continues to be taken from the mills, and prices remain firm as follows:—Fine, 13s cash, 14s credit; seconds, 11s cash, 12s credit, per 100 lbs; ration, none for sale.

Bran.—8d per bushel wholesale, 9d per bushel retail.

Biscuit —No 1 cabin, 19s; No 2 ship, 15s per cwt.

Bread.—The 2lb loaf is sold generally for 3½d.

Maize.—There has been a large supply received coastwise during the week, in consequence of which the buyers are holding back. The prices charged at the wharfs are from 1s 6d to 1s 8d per bushel; ten loads which have paid dues at the Campbell-street market, being a large weekly supply from the interior, sold at the above prices. The retailers are charging from 1s 10d to 2s 3d per bushel, but the general retail price is 2s per bushel.

Oats.—Van Diemen's Land oats are from 4s to 4s 6d wholesale, and colonial oats from 2s 3d to 2s 9d per bushel, in quantities. The retail prices are—Van Diemen's Land oats from 4s 9d to 5s 6d, and colonial, 3s to 3s 6d per bushel.

Barley.—There is still but little doing in either description of barley. The wholesale price of English is from 3s to 3s 6d, and colonial from 1s 8d to 2s per bushel. English barley is retailing at from 3s 9d to 4s per bushel, and colonial from 2s 3d to 2s 9d. Some mixed samples are retailing for English at 3s 6d per bushel.

Hay —108 loads have been on the stand during the week—some very inferior, and other loads very good. The average price is about £4 4s per ton; the extreme prices are from £3 15s to £5 per ton.

Straw.—Ten loads have paid dues; the prices have ranged from 30s to 40s per ton. The general price was 36s per ton; the retail prices are from 2s 2d to 2s 6d per cwt.

Grass.—Fifteen loads have passed through the Campbell street Market, and sold at from 6d to 7d per dozen per load. The prices per single dozen are from 7½d to 9d.

Green Bedding.—Four loads have been received, and sold at from 3s to 4s 6d per load.

Vegetables are at present scarce, and but few varieties. Not more than twenty-five loads have paid dues since last report. The retail prices, according to quality, are as follow:—Cabbages 2d to 6d per head, cauliflower 4d to 8d, celery 3d to 6d, pumpkins 3d to 6d each, lettuces 2d each, spinach 6d to 1s per dish, green peas 3s per peck, parsnips 3d per bunch, carrots and turnips 2d, radishes 1d.

Potatoes and Dried Onions. — Colonial potatoes at the wharfs are from £2 12s 6d to £3 5s per ton. The dealers in the market are charging from £4 to £4 10s per ton, and are retailing them at from 4s 9d to 5s per cwt. They are charging from 5s 6d to 6s 6d per cwt. for Van Diemen's Land potatoes; those from Circular Head are in demand at from £4 to £4 10s per ton. Dried onions are very plentiful at from £10 to £13 per ton, and from 16s to 18s per cwt., also from 2d to 3d per lb.

Fruit.—Twenty-two loads have been received since last report, mostly oranges and lemons. The prices are, navel oranges 9d to 1s 6d per dozen, mandarines 6d per dozen, sweet oranges 4d to 8d per dozen, Seville (bitter) oranges 6d per dozen; Lisbon lemons 6d to 1s per dozen, common lemons 2d to 4d per dozen, shaddocks 2s to 3s per dozen, apples, Van Diemen's Land, 1s to 2s per dozen, guavas 1s to 1s 6d per dozen, pineapples are plentiful at from 3s to 6s per dozen, custard apples 1s each, bananas 1s 6d to 2s per dozen, cocoanuts (imported) are from 2s to 3s per dozen.

Poultry.—Independent of a liberal supply received coastwise, nine loads have paid dues. The only description of poultry which is scarce at present in Sydney is ducks, for which the poulterers are charging from 4s 6d to 5s per per pair. The prices of other sorts are—fowls 2s 6d to 3s per pair, geese 5s each, turkeys from 4s to 10s each, teal 2s 6d per brace, black ducks 5s per brace, pigeons 1s 6d per dozen, rabbits 5s per pair, and eggs 1s to 1s 2d per dozen warranted.

Dairy Produce.—About 4½ tons of cheese has been received from the interior, and was sold to the stall-holders at from 3½d to 4d per lb. That made by Gilbert Warren, in the Yass district, as well as a small lot bacon, about 16 cwt., cured by him, appears superior in quality as well as cleanlier got up, than any which has been sent to market for some time past. The wholesale prices of bacon are from 4½d to 5d per lb; 1½ ton of butter has been sold in lots at from 10d. to 11d. per lb. The retail prices are—cheese, 4½d to 8d per lb; bacon, 8d to 10d; colonial ham, 10d to 1s, and English ham, 1s 2d to 1s 3d per lb; Glenlee butter, 1s 6d per lb. That from Camden, Myrtle Creek, and Myrtle Vale, equal to Glenlee, 1s 4d per lb; good Wollongong butter is from 1s 2d to 1s 4d per lb; the best salt butter is 1s 3d per lb; inferior salt butter, from 1s. 3d. down to 1s. per lb.

Cattle, Sheep, &c.—The carcass butchers are giving from 35s to 55s per head for fat cattle; the average price of a good fat bullock is about 40s. Most of the cattle at the slaughter houses, yesterday, appeared to be in but indifferent condition. Fat sheep, fit for slaughter, are realising from 5s. 6d to 7s per head; stall fed calves are in request at from 17s. 6d. to 21s. 6d. each; fat pigs are plentiful; about 20 head were disposed of at the pound. The prices given for pigs in good condition, range from 3d to 3¼ per lb, on the weight of the four quarters.

Milch Cows. — Good milch cows are reckoned worth £4 4s; the price of this description of stock ranges from 75s to 95s per head; in some cases £5 has been given, but in general, where this was done, a calf under six months was given in.

Horses.—There are few good horses in the market, but what are for sale are commanding fair prices, viz., roadsters from £12 to £16; cavalry horses, from £14 to £18; and strong sound cart horses from £12 to £20. Unless horses of any description are first-rate, it is useless forwarding them to Sydney for sale, as the market is glutted with inferior horses, for which no buyers can be found at any price.

Butchers' Meat.—There is a good supply, and in general of the best quality, at most of the stalls. The wholesale prices are—beef, from 1d to 1½d; mutton, 1¼d to 1½d; veal and pork, 3d to 4d; and suet 2½d to 3d per lb. The retail prices are—beef, 1½d to 2d per lb; mutton, 2d to 2½d; veal and pork from 5d to 6d per lb.; suet, 3½d to 3½d per lb.; salt beef, 1½d to 2d per lb.; and salt pork, 4d to 4½d per ditto; salt tongues, 1s 6d to 1s 9d each, and lard 8d to 10d per lb.

Cedar and Hardwood.—There is a good supply of all qualities of colonial cedar at present in the market. That of inferior quality is from 10s 6d to 12s per 100 feet in log; good cedar is from 12s to 14s per 100, and picked logs of large breadths are from 14s to 15s 6d per 100 feet; cedar inch boards are from 2½d to 3½d per foot; flooring boards are from 10s to 12s per 100 feet, and a large stock in the market; but no decline is expected, as the sawyers in many places in the bush are standing out for an advance in their present prices for cutting; laths are 7s to 8s 6d, and shingles from 9s 6d to 11s 6d per 1000; palings are from 7s 6d to 9s 6d per 1000; felloes, from £2 10s to £3 5s per 100 according to size.

Coals 16s to 17s 6d per ton at the wharfs.

Sundries.—Colonial salt, 50s per ton; lime, 7d to 8d per bushel; bricks, £1 7s 6d to £1 15s per 1000; colonial soap, 22s to 24s per cwt; feathers, 1s per lb.; firewood, 3s to 4s 6d per cart load; honey, retail, 6d to 8d per lb.; green hides, 6s 6d to 7s 6d each.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

PARRAMATTA RACES.

Yesterday was the third and concluding day of "the meet," and a very crowded assemblage was present: all sorts of vehicles, from the humble cart with its one hack, to the aristocratic "four in hand," brought an overcrowded load, to say nothing of the ordinary and extraordinary public conveyances from Sydney being equally circumstanced, whilst the *Comet* steamer being literally crammed, contributed largely to the numbers present, amongst whom were the representatives of every rank and class in the colony.

A few minutes before the hour appointed for the start for the first race, His Excellency drove on to the Course, and was received by the judge, the stewards, and clerk of the Course. Sir Charles was accompanied by Lady Mary, Mrs. Thomson, Mrs. Dawson, and Lieutenant Masters, A.D.C., and *en suite* the member for the Borough and his family.

As there were four races to be run, all of which were from the entrances made expected to be closely contested, no time was lost in commencing the first race.

Cumberland Turf Purse of sixty sovereigns, with a sweepstakes of five sovereigns each added, for all horses carrying weight for age. Three miles. Entrance five sovereigns.

For this race there were four entrances made, namely, Mr. Hely's b. g. Jorrocks; Mr. H. Merrett's ch. g. Foigh-a-Ballagh; Mr. Jones's by. m. Cassandra; and Mr. Roberts's ch. m. Blue Bonnet. The two latter were, however, drawn, and the race therefore was as under:—

Mr. Heley's b. g. Jorrocks, aged, weight, 9 st. 12 lbs., rode by owner	1
Mr. Merritt's ch. gel. Foigh-a-Ballagh, 6 years, weight, 9 st. 12 lbs., rode by Higgerson	2
Mr. Roberts's ch. m. Blue Bonnet, 6 years	dr.
Mr. Jones's by. m. Cassandra, 5 years,	dr.

At the start, the "old horse" shot away, and was, in a few seconds, a good two lengths a-head, but during the run for the first half mile post, Foigh gained about a length, and was evidently hard held, but in the ensuing mile gained, so as to be on passing the Judge's stand, neck and neck with Jorrocks, who now began to give a taste of his quality, and in the next four hundred yards got half a length in advance, and then began to flirt, as it were, with his competitor, leading him at his full speed, but contriving that when the second round of the course was made, to be a good length a-head. Foigh now began to show symptoms of distress, but nevertheless every nerve was strained by him, and the last round of the course was on the part of both horses beautiful racing, and Foigh again gained on the old horse, so as, when nearing the distance post to be nearly neck and neck, but at this stage of the race Jorrocks seemed to snuff the Judges' stand, and made for it, and came in winning by about half a length. Time of the race 5 minutes 51 seconds Foigh, it has already been stated, showed distress, an appearance which Jorrocks on coming into the weighing yard was not wholly free from.

SECOND RACE.

The Farmers' Plate of forty sovereigns, with a sweepstakes of three sovereigns each added, for all horses carrying weight for age. Mile heats. Entrance, three sovereigns.

For this race there were seven entrances, but Jorrocks and Don John being withdrawn the race lay between the following five.

Mr. Kirwin's bay gel. Robin Hood, 6 years, 9s. 9lbs., rode by Maherty ..	4	4	3
Mr. Tait's bk. h. Whalebone, 3 years, 8s. 8lbs., rode by Cutts	1	3 dr.	
Mr. Roberts's ch. m. Blue Bonnet, 6 years, 8s. 9lbs., rode by Badkin....	3 dr.		
Mr. Jones's bay m. Cassandra, 5 years, 9s. 5lbs., rode by Dargin	2	1	1
Mr. Merritt's ch. gel. Foigh-a-Ballagh, aged, 9s. 9lbs., rode by Higgerson..	5	2	2

Considerable excitement appeared to prevail with respect to this race, and before the start, the odds were freely offered in favour of Whalebone. At the start Whalebone secured the lead, and was closely followed by Cassandra, Foigh-a-Ballagh, and Robin Hood, who kept well together, and were about a length in the rear, while Blue Bonnet was also a good length behind them. The racing of the whole of the horses for about a-third of the mile was downright hard, but withal splendid work. In the next two hundred yards Blue Bonnet passed Foigh-a-Bollagh and Robin Hood, and gained rapidly on Cassandra, who had been during this time nearing Whalebone, but who, as the last quarter of a mile of the race was approached, made play, and got two lengths ahead of her, in which position he came in, whilst Blue Bonnet closely followed Cassandra, and was half a length in her rear, and in the same situation in advance of Robin Hood, Foigh-a-Ballagh contrived so as to just save the distance, which from the manner in which he was jockeyed appeared to be all that it was intended he should accomplish. The heat was an admirable one, and the time was 1m. 48s. Previous to the commencement of the second heat Blue Bonnett was drawn, and bets considerably varied. Foigh was well known to be an old horse who required being "warmed" to show, and though Whalebone had run and won, yet there was something about his appearance, which showed he was not "all right" and what subsequently transpired evidenced the suspicion was not an erroneous one. At the start, however, for the second heat, Whalebone led, Cassandra being neck and neck with him, followed by Robin two lengths behind, and Foigh considerably further in the rear, who whilst the three first worked away at a slashing pace, kept a very "quiet and even tenor" of his way. The whole of the horses maintained this position for about half-a-mile, when Foigh had evidently got into racing spirit, and shot past Robin, and closed with Cassandra and Whalebone, whereon the latter began to give way, and the mare got a neck in advance, but Foigh as the distance post was reached, "popt his nose in" between them, and very hard and close running ensued till the mile was made, when the three horses came in as noticed above, the first being half a neck in advance of the second, who was similarly situated in respect to the third; Whalebone, however, to be brought to this position, had been for the last quarter of a mile most desperately punished. Robin was nearly a distance behind. Time of heat, 1 minute 50 seconds. Whalebone was now drawn, and Cassandra, Robin, and Foigh lay well together at the start. For the third heat Foigh shewed the intention of being determined for winning, and got about a head of, and kept so for about four hundred yards of Cassandra, when the mare pushed and got a length a-head. Robin also made play, and for a few seconds neared Foigh. Eventually, however, the horses came in—Cassandra a length a-head of Foigh, and Foigh half a distance in advance of Robin. Time of the heat, 1 minute 50 seconds. It will be seen, that in this race there were two withdrawals: Bluebonnet at the close of the first, and Whalebone at that of the second heat. The reasons causing which were as follows:—It will be remembered that on Wednesday (see Thursday's *Herald*) Mr. Roberts merely started the mare to prevent disappointment, as she had been ill, and was, as it was evident to every observer, lame. The same spirit induced him starting her to-day, and the same reason induced her withdrawal. In reference to Whalebone, it was suspected, at the conclusion of the first heat, the horse was not all right. When the second heat was run there could be no doubt of the fact; and he was found to be in that state that immediate copious bleeding was necessary.

Third Race.—The Maiden Plate of thirty sovereigns, with a sweepstakes of three sovereigns added, for all horses which have never won a £25 prize, carrying weight for age; mile heats; entrance, three sovereigns.

Mr. Gilligan's ch. h. Donizette, 3 years, weight 8 st 8 lbs, rode by Gorrick..........................	0	1	1
Mr. Perry's g. g. Dr. Syntax, aged, 9 st 9 lbs, rode by Ryan	2	0	0
Mr. Sullivan's g.g. Gohanna, 4 years, 8 st 11 lbs, rode by Ivery	0	0	0
Mr. Badkin's ch. g. Nimrod, 4 years, 8 st 11 lbs, rode by Higgerson	0	0	0
Mr. Jones's bay fl. Cressida, 3 years, 7 st 11 lbs, rode by Dargin	3	0	0
Mr. Baxter's bay g. Spanker, 5 years, 9 st 5 lbs, rode by Cutts	0	3	0
Mr. Single's bay h. Cotherstone, 4 years, 8 st 11 lbs, rode by Maharty	0	2	0
Mr. Heley's br. c. Snake, 2 years, 7 stone, rode by West	0	0	3
Mr. Warby's bay g. Warrigal, 4 years, 8 st 11 lbs, rode by Ford....	1	0	2

In the above race we have merely given the return of the horses made by the Judge, who placed only the three first, such position as however our own observation assigned them will be found at the end of each heat. At the start for the first heat the Doctor took the lead, closely pursued by Warrigal, and the remaining seven keeping remarkably well together, and no break was made until about the half mile-post, when Warrigal collared and passed Syntax and shot ahead, coming in by about a length and Cressida half a length in the rear; the other horses raced equally rapid with the leader, and came in, there being just such space between them as to constitute a difference in the following order. Spanker,, Gohanna, Cotherstone, Donizette, Snake, and Nimrod. Time of heat one minute fifty-two seconds. For the start for the second heat there were two false moves, but finally when the racers did get away Donizette and Warrigal went off at a slashing pace, the others lying well together at a respectful distance until the three-quarter mile-post was made, when Cotherstone quitted the company of the seven for his leaders, and having got in advance of Warrigal, collared Donizette and kept neck and neck with her for some distance, when Don shot ahead and came in in advance of him by about a length and a-half. In the mean time Warrigal had got passed by Spanker, who came in third and subsequently by Dr. Syntax, Cressida, Gohanna, and Nimrod, but who was in advance of Snake; all the five last-named horses came in well together. Time of heat one minute fifty seconds. At the third heat two false starts again occurred, but when "off," all kept for a quarter of a mile together, when Nimrod started a-head, and had no sooner done so than the example set was followed by Donizette, Spanker, Warragal, Gohanna, and Syntax, all close on each other's quarters; this position was maintained until the three-quarter mile-post, when Donizette took the lead, and Warrigal rapidly passed Spanker; and Snake, until this time all behind, contrived to get third, in which position they came in. The places of the other horses, as near as could be observed, were Syntax, Nimrod, Cressida, Gohanna, Spanker, and Cotherstone. Time of heat—1 minute 50 seconds.

This race was throughout well contested; Worrigal surprised many; the horse, it was palpable, was suffering from lameness, which his rapid running in the first heat considerably heightened, and nothing but good bottom and tremendous spirit could have made that play which secured a splendid second in the third heat.

Fourth Race.—The Beaten Stakes of 20 sovereigns, with a entrance of two sovereigns each added; one mile and a half; horses to be handicapped by the stewards.

Some time having elapsed in getting entrances, Mr. Roberts, to make a beginning, entered Blue Bonnet, although she was lame; Don John, Spanker, and Emperor were then entered; but the two last were subsequently withdrawn. The mare, however, true to the "blue," after a few yards running, quickly got four lengths a-head, and gallantly kept three of them, which she was a-head on reaching the Judge's stand.

The race was, therefore—

Mr. Roberts' ch. m. Blue Bonnet, rode by Badkin	1
Mr. Foster's b. g. Don John, rode by Curtis	2

Three cheers having been given for the Judge, Mr. Holden, the first meeting of the Club was at end.

His Excellency, Lady Mary, and suite left for Sydney at the end of the second heat of the third race.

It is impossible for anything to have passed off better than this meeting, or more creditably to the Stewards and the Clerk of the Course, Mr. Watsford, who exerted himself most manfully in putting down those nuisances and annoyances which quadrupeds and bipeds will give. The police also exerted themselves well, and during the whole three days, there was not the slightest disorder, nor did any accident occur; and with praise be it noticed, those pests on a course, the gambling tables, were suppressed.

Great promises have been made of valuable cups being given at the next meeting, by Mr. Nelson Lawson and Mr. Andrew Nash, but the particulars and the terms and conditions on which they are to be competed for, must, from the late hour at which the races concluded, and, consequently, our reporter reached town, be deferred until our next issue.

A GREAT RARITY.

FOR SALE, a splendid pair of Black Swans, male and female, just arrived from the interior. Apply to T. C. Thomas and Co., Commercial Wharf. 222

LIVERPOOL SALT.

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE CONTRACT, by the undersigned, in lots to suit purchasers, and weighed out, at £3 12s. 6d. per ton.

EDWARD SALAMON,
211 Auctioneer and Agent.

VAN DIEMEN'S LAND POTATOES, ex "CHRISTINA."

THE remainder of the cargo of potatoes, per *Christina*, from Circular Head, are on sale by the undersigned, now removed to No. 4, Jamison-street, corner of Jamison Lane.

GEORGE SMALL,
65 No. 4, Jamison-street.

LING FISH, LOCHFINE HERRINGS, YARMOUTH BLOATERS.

JUST LANDED,
30 half barrels Lochfine herrings
30 kits Yarmouth bloaters
Ling fish in small packages, in excellent condition

ON SALE by the undersigned, now removed to No. 4, Jamison-street, corner of Jamison-lane.

GEORGE SMALL,
227 No. 4, Jamison-street.

AUSTRALIAN MATCHES. LANSDELL'S.

SHOPKEEPERS and others can be supplied with the above superior article, at the Manufactory, Chippendale; or by leaving orders at Mr. Dixon's, 494, George-street. 181

MANILA COFFEE.

FOR SALE by the undersigned,—a small quantity of very superior Manila Coffee.

W. E. MACKINTOSH,
170 Queen's-place.

QUARTERLY ACCOUNTS.—The undersigned are now prepared to open new accounts, and furnish suitable pass-books to families who may wish to procure their groceries of the "best quality and at moderate prices."
148 PORTER AND PEEK.

PATNA RICE,
JUST LANDED EX "WIGRAMS," FROM CALCUTTA.

ON SALE at the Stores of the undersigned—
400 BAGS PATNA RICE.
A. MOSES,
146 Bridge-street.

EAST GOSFORD,
BRISBANE WATER.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE CONTRACT.

THE following very valuable and rapidly improving properties at Brisbane Water.

No. 1. All that piece or parcel of land bounded by the property hereinafter described as No. 2, having the entire frontage to the Broadwater, and upon which is erected an excellent inn, containing twelve rooms, formerly kept by , but now known as the Queen's Hotel; a six-stalled stable stone built; a well stocked garden, and out houses complete; a wharf which abuts nearly 100 feet into the Broadwater, of sufficient depth alongside for vessels of any tonnage; was constructed at great expense by the former proprietor, and affords every facility for carrying on a first-rate business of any description, which the wants of the district require.

No. 2 All that piece or parcel of land adjoining the above, upon which is erected an excellent dwelling house and stores, formerly the property of Mr. E H. Hargreaves, but more recently occupied by H. S. Greenfell and Co., as storekeepers, &c. Upon this portion there are also three small enclosures well adapted for the growth of the vine, vegetables, &c.; stockyards and outhouses complete; comprising altogether a very compact and eligible premises for carrying on the business of a store.

No. 3. Comprises all those two pieces or parcels of land immediately adjoining the above premises, being Nos. and of section No. 37, and containing together one acre and three roods, more or less, with frontage to the Broadwater. A natural wharf comprising the whole extent from the boundary of No. 1, as above described, is formed by the rocks on the shore, and might, by a very small outlay, be made available for boat-building, lime-burning, cooperage, or any other useful purposes; leaving ample space on the remaining portion of the property, from which there is a beautiful view of the harbour and surrounding scenery, for building allotments and the erection of a number of cottages, which will no doubt be required as the population of the district increases.

The proprietor offering the above to the notice of capitalists and intending purchasers, deems it unnecessary to say more respecting the buildings, &c., erected thereupon, than that they originally cost upwards of £2400. The depreciation in value of every description of property since the period referred to, precludes the hopes of realising anything approximating to that amount at present; but he nevertheless feels fully justified in recommending the properties described, as an excellent permanent investment, from the fact that as the demand for tallow casks, for which an unlimited supply of suitable wood can be procured in the district, will be on the increase, and for timber of all descriptions for building purposes, for coasting vessels of all sizes; and, though last not least, for shell-lime, required for smelting the mineral ores, with which the colony abounds, also continues to increase: there can be no doubt that Brisbane Water will resume its former prosperity, and become the chief source from which the abovementioned articles must be supplied.

By all who are acquainted with the locality, it will be readily conceded that no part of the district offers for cooperage, lime-burning, or boat-building purposes, advantages equal to the premises above referred to; besides the advantages a store or an inn could command.

If required, the proprietor will dispose of the whole in one lot. Further particulars may be learnt on application to Mr. George Rattray, Bathurst-street. Sydney. 10462

SHEEP AND LAMBS FOR SALE,
IN ONE, TWO, OR THREE LOTS.

TO BE SOLD, sixteen hundred Ewes, from two to four years old, with lambs by their sides, fit to shear in October next, now running at Melville Plains, ready for immediate delivery. Terms, cash.

For further particulars apply to Mr. Sumner, near Carroll, Liverpool Plains, or to the undersigned, near Morpeth, if by letter, post paid.

JOHN HOWE.
Morpeth, June 25. 10344

FOR SALE.—Land and Stock, belonging to the Bank of Australasia, and taken in satisfaction of debts. Apply to MINITHORPE, GURNER, & TOMPSON.
9571 557, George-street.

BY PRIVATE CONTRACT.
A SPLENDID OPENING FOR A YOUNG MAN.

A FIRST-RATE STATION AND RUN, not to be equalled in the colony for quick fattening of stock, stockyard capable of holding 1000 head of cattle, paddock, a good substantial hut,
WITH ONLY
2 TO 300 HEAD CATTLE.
Situate on the Lachlan River, and known as the "Lake Walgier" Station.
250 miles from Port Phillip.
500 „ from Adelaide.
Terms.—Half cash; the residue good indorsed bills at 6 *months.*
Apply to Mr. Stubbs, at the Mart, King-street. 10460

FOR SALE. — SEVENTY-FIVE SHARES in the Australian Gas Light Company; the half-yearly dividend being payable next month. Apply between the hours of one and two P.M., to
MR. J. R. HOLDEN,
Black's-buildings,
219 Castlereagh-street.

CARTS AND DRAYS ON HIRE

FOR the Removal of Furniture, &c.; ashes, NIGHT SOIL, or any obnoxious rubbish. The undersigned superintends the performance of all night work with which he is favoured, and strict attention will be paid to cleanliness and replacing the fixtures.
G. PREDDEY,
290 205, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

FRAUDS IN TALLOW.
TO THE MERCHANTS OF SYDNEY AND SHIPPERS OF TALLOW.

IN consequence of the numerous frauds that have taken place in the tallow trade, by which most serious losses have been incurred, and the commercial character of the colony much injured in the mercantile world, the subscriber has been recommended to devote part of his extensive establishment to the examination and classification of this important export.

Having every facility for remelting and refining tallow, and for carrying on the business to any extent, he offers his best services as broker and refiner to the buyers and shippers of tallow, and guarantees that every cask submitted to his examination shall correspond in quality to the descriptive catalogue.

He has extensive storeage at command, and coasting vessels from the outports can discharge their tallow at his wharf.

He begs further to state that his charges will be moderate, and that he will personally superintend the repacking and shipping of all tallow entrusted to his care.

F. M. STOKES,
Soap and Candle Manufacturer,
26 Dickson-street, Sydney.

TALLOW BROKER AND INSPECTOR.

THE undersigned will be happy to inspect and class tallow for shipment, and give his certificate of its quality and condition.

Or will purchase or sell on commission.
Terms:—
Inspecting, sixpence per cask.
Brokerage, 1 per cent. above £20.
HENRY FERRIS,
Stores, Pitt street,
10488 Near Theatre.

WOOL AND SHEEPSKINS

THE Undersigned are cash purchasers of washed and unwashed wools and sheepskins; or, will make advances on wools consigned to Messrs. Armitage Brothers.
10533 J. T. ARMITAGE AND CO.

WOOL AND SHEEPSKINS.

THE undersigned are cash buyers of Wool and Sheepskins, either washed or the grease; or will make liberal advances on wool consigned to their house in England.
SWAIN, WEBBS, AND CO.,
8953 Harrington-street, Church Hill.

THE undersigned will be a purchaser of wool during the present season, and will continue to make advances on wool and other produce consigned for sale, as usual, to his friends in London, Messrs. Ellice, Kinnear, and Co.
WILLIAM C. BOTTS.
Wharf, Darling Harbour. 6135

THE undersigned are cash purchasers of wool, and other colonial produce; or will make advances on the same, if consigned to Messrs. D. Cooper and Co., London.
COOPER AND HOLT.
8990 Waterloo Warehouse.

GRIFFITHS, FANNING AND CO. will advance on wool consigned to their friends in London, Messrs. John Gore and Co., or will purchase for cash 225

THE undersigned will make advances on wool, tallow, and other produce consigned to Mr. Robert How, London.
ROBERT HOW AND CO.,
10562 Lower George-street

MONEY TO LEND.—Money ready to lend, either in large or small sums, upon house, landed, or other property, or upon approved personal security, to avoid the expense of a mortgage. Bills and promissory notes cashed as usual on moderate terms. Apply to Charles Marsh, Agent and Broker, No. 139, King-street, nearly opposite Castlereagh-street. 168

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William O'Hara, formerly of Cork, in the province of Munster, Ireland, an attorney of the Courts of Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, and Exchequer, and a solicitor of the Court of Chancery in Ireland, aforesaid, and now of Sydney, in the county of Cumberland, New South Wales, intends to apply, during next Term, to be admitted an attorney, solicitor, and proctor of the said Supreme Court of New South Wales. Dated this 1st day of July, 1847.
162 W. O'HARA.

NOTICE.
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED, carrying on the business of coal and timber merchants on the Market Wharf, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent, Mr. Joel Josephs will, in future, conduct the business on his own account, and receive all accounts due to, and discharge all liabilities of the said firm.
JOEL JOSEPHS.
JOHN CARR, Junior.
Witness—Henry Moon. 160

NOTICE.—The interest and responsibility of Mr. William Fane De Salis, in our firm, ceased on the 30th ultimo, and Mr. Arthur Cecil Daniell has this day been admitted a partner.
Our firm now consists of John Thacker and Arthur Cecil Daniell.
THACKER AND CO.
July 1. 8

NOTICE.—If Robert Higgs, who arrived in the colony of New South Wales about thirteen years ago, and was assigned to Lieutenant Bloomfield, with whom he continued seven or eight years, will call at the *Herald* Office, a letter will be given to him, of some consequence, from his mother. 164

NOTICE.— A Box, addressed Mr. Thomas Warland, Bank Cottage, Bank-street, Chippendale, Sydney, ex *Abel Gower*, from London, July, 1846, is detained at Miller's Point Wharf Stores, for payment of freight and charges. If not released within fourteen days from this date, it will be sold by auction to defray expenses.
JAMES COMRIE,
Manager.
July 1. 163

NOTICE.—The Undersigned beg to inform the public, that Mr. Robert Lambert, Junior, our collecting clerk, has full authority to receive monies on our account, and that the Bank of Australasia is where we keep our bank account.
152 DAVID JONES AND CO.

TO BLACKSMITHS, &c.

TENDERS are invited for the iron railings, gates, and balconies, required to three dwelling houses erecting at Darlinghurst. The drawings and specifications are to be seen at the office of James Hume, of King-street, Architect, to whom Tenders are to be sent, on or before Thursday, the 15th instant.
JAMES HUME, 113, King-street.
July 2. 158

CATTLE ON KEEP. — Wanted, from 500 to 1000 head of cattle, or more, *on terms*, to put on a station on the lower part of the Castlereagh river; from which the owner has lately removed all his own stock.
The station adjoins the splendid cattle runs of the Messrs. Lawson and Lowe, and cannot be surpassed for either feed or water.
Proprietor resident at the head station, within twenty miles. Apply W. B., Post Office, Campbelltown. 9496

WANTED, a Tallow Refiner: liberal wages will be given to a competent person. Apply to Mr. Richard Dawson, 622, Lower George-street.
July 2. 184

TINMEN WANTED.—Wanted, some Tinmen; constant employment and liberal wages. Apply to Mr. Joseph, George-street; or Mr. Joseph, Camperdown, late Mr. Charles Smith.
July 1. 83

HOUSE CARPENTERS.—Wanted, two for contract work. Apply to W. S. Moutry, No. 2, Church-hill. 128

TWENTY PAIR OF SAWYERS.—Wanted immediately, for Sydney, at the rate of five shillings per 100 feet, for 2 feet and under, and six shillings per 100 feet for all above 2 feet. Apply at Mr. Coulson's, George and Dragon, Market Wharf.
July 1. 143

TWO pair of Sawyers will meet constant employment, at Stewart's Cedar Yard, Pitt-street. Prices, five shillings per 100 feet shallow work, and six shillings if over 2 feet. 218

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, six good Shepherds, to proceed to Gammon and Liverpool Plains. Apply at the Salt Stores, Clarence-street.
June 25. 10133

WANTED, SHEPHERDS for Moreton Bay and the Upper Hunter. J. Frederick Johnson, General Agency Office, No. 319, Castlereagh-street. 183

WANTED SOME LADS.—Wanted, some lads from 14 to 16 years of age. Constant employment will be given. Apply to Mr. Joseph, Camperdown, late Mr. C. Smith. 82

WANTED two lads, from twelve to fifteen years of age, for indoor work. Apply at Mr. Wortman's Colonial Match Manufactory, 102, York-street. 139

WANTED, two apprentices for the brig *William Hill*. Apply on board; or, at 209, Pitt-street. 110

WANTED, a cook for the brig *William Hill*. Apply on board; or, at 209, Pitt-street.
July 1. 111

WANTED, a smart active waiter, who will make himself generally useful. Apply at the Masonic Hall Hotel, York-street.
July 2. 206

SERVANTS WANTED.—Wanted to engage, at liberal wages, a Storekeeper (a married man), a good Man or Woman Cook, several Housemaids, Nursemaids, Laundresses, General House Servants, several Men with their Wives, Girls about the age of fifteen years, also Shepherds and Labourers. Apply to Mr. Charles Marsh, No. 139, King-street, nearly opposite Castlereagh-street. 169

WANTED, in a gentleman's family, a man to cook and wait at table. Apply for address to Mr. Bowen, Saddler, George-street, or at the *Herald* Newspaper Office, George-street. 172

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, by a small family in town, a respectable married couple; the man to cook and wait at table; the woman as laundress and housemaid. References will be required. For card of address, apply at the *Herald* Office. 10342

WANTED, a man and his wife. The man as cook, and to make himself generally useful; the woman as laundress and housemaid. Apply at Harbour View House, near Dawes Battery. 179

WANTED, for a small family in the district of Yass, a married couple as servants, the husband to be the house servant and the wife to be cook and housemaid. None need apply who have not been accustomed to service in a gentleman's family, and otherwise understand their respective duties. Application to be made to Mr Taylor, at Kellick's Wharf, between the hours of ten and eleven only in the morning. 174

WANTED, two Servants, the woman as cook and laundress in a small family; the man a good agriculturist and farm servant. To those who can produce testimonials of honesty and sobriety, and are willing to make themselves useful, liberal wages will be given. Application to be made to Mrs. Bowerman, Marsin, Parramatta River.
July 2. 186

A YOUNG Lady is desirous of obtaining a situation as Junior Assistant in a school, or as Governess in a small family of respectability, where accomplishments are not required. Address M. J., *Herald* Office. 188

TO MERCHANTS, AUCTIONEERS, WAREHOUSEMEN, AND OTHERS.—Wanted by the advertiser, a young Man of respectability and a good accountant, a situation as clerk in either of the above. Unexceptionable references can be given. Address, post-paid, to A.W., care of Messrs. Kern and Mader, Stationers, &c., Hunter-street. 194

FOUR POUNDS REWARD.—Strayed from the Lower Murrumbidgee, in October last, one black horse, branded H on near shoulder, and S on off shoulder; one bay mare, white blaze on face and white feet, branded PC over some other brand on shoulder and O under the mane. Any person delivering the above horses to W. K. Smyth, Esq., Mingay, Gundagai, or to the undersigned, will receive the above reward.
JOHN SCOTT,
9764 Lower Murrumbidgee

STRAYED from a dray camped near the Burying-ground on Friday, the 25th June, a chestnut horse, star in forehead, round Roman nose, broken knees, ragged switch tail, with mark on near side under the saddle, occasioned by a bite, branded IP, scarcely legible, under the mane off side, sore on off shoulder. I hereby offer a Reward of Ten shillings if he is left either with Mr. R. Craig, Goulburn; Mr. Brown, Wingello, or the undersigned, at Mr. Thompson's, Camden.
166 WILLIAM AULKER.

A CARD.—Several gentlemen can be accommodated with board and residence, also families with rooms, either with or without board, &c., at Mrs. Newton's, Reiby House, near Circular Wharf. 163

ELIGIBLE PREMISES AND STORES NEAR THE CIRCULAR WHARF.

TO LET.—Those extensive Stores late in the occupation of S. Wilkinson, Jun., Esq., in the immediate vicinity of the Custom House and Circular Quay.

Also,

A small Cottage and Stabling, with extensive plot of ground contiguous thereto.

Apply to H. T. Sheldon, Esq.; or to Mr Abraham Davy, Shipping and Family Grocery Warehouse, 5, Macquarie Place, next door to the Custom House Hotel. 9635

BUSINESS PREMISES.—To be let the premises adjoining the Stores and Wharf occupied by Mr. Kellie, and facing the Queen's Wharf. Apply to Mr. Young, O'Connell-street. 9262

HOUSE TO LET.—To Let, a house in Liverpool-street, facing Hyde Park. Apply to Cooper and Holt. 161

TO LET, in York-street, those capacious premises, house, and stores, lately occupied by Lancelot Iredale, Esq., as soon as the repairs are completed. Apply to Mr. J. B. Jones, Woolloomooloo. 27

TO LET, in Pitt-street South, four apartments, with the use of kitchen. To a respectable tenant the rent would be moderate. For particulars apply to Mr. Philip Whealan, Britannia Arms, at the corner of Goulburn and George streets, Brickfield-hill. 94

TO BE LET, Carthona, Lady Darling Point, the late residence of Sir T. L. Mitchell, Surveyor-General. Immediate possession can be given. For particulars apply at the *Herald* Office. 397

TO LET, Camperdown Cottage, Newtown, containing eight rooms, with detached ball-room, kitchen, and laundry, store-room, &c., with large garden and paddock. Enquire of Mr. John Icke Kettle, Druitt-street, Sydney.
July 1. 150

TO LET, a first-rate Dairy Farm, at Caddi Creek, near Pitt Town, containing 100 acres, well suited for cultivation, and divided into paddocks, having the advantage of Government land on the one side, and the extensive run of Pitt Town Common on the other, with a never-failing supply of water. Terms moderate. Apply to Thomas M'Kenzie, at the Queen's Head Inn, King-street, Sydney; or to Thomas M Guire, Pitt Town Common. 189

SALES BY AUCTION.

CHOICE LIBRARY.
EVENING SALE OF RARE AND VALUABLE BOOKS AND MUSIC.

J. K. HEYDON hastens to inform the Literati of Sydney, that he has been entrusted with the sale of a most CHOICE and VALUABLE LIBRARY of BOOKS and MUSIC, which he will put up to public auction, without reserve, on THURSDAY EVENING next, the 8th of July, instant, at his Mart, 75, King-street. A list of the principal is subjoined.

ENGLISH.

Cambridge Diamond Bible
Book of Mottoes and Drawing for the Million
Catechism of the Currency
Last Days of a Philosopher
Bank's House of Austria
Dictionary of Quotations
Camden's Antique Remains
Pliny's Letters, 2 vols.
Leland's Demosthenes
Poems of Akenside, Swift, Goldsmith, Gay, Apollonius Rhodius, Theocritus, Warton, Dryden, Shenstone, Collins, Blair, Lucan, and Horace
Buffier's Moral Philosophy
Eustace's Tour in Italy, 4 vols.
Spalding's Troubles in Scotland, 1624—45
Haliburton's (Sam Slick's) Nova Scotia, 2 vols.
Nicholas's Chronology of History
Cobbett's History of the Reformation
Answer to Difficulties of Romanism
Mills's History of India, 6 vols.
Bruce's Eminent Scotsmen
Mission to China
Higgon's History of England (curious)
Walker's Rhetorical Grammar
HOLLINSHED'S CHRONICLES, 2 vols., folio
Wells's Sacred Geography and Atlas, 3 vols.
Callaghan's Acts of Council, 2 vols.
Proclamations, 1825 to 1832. N.S.W.
Smollett's Works, 6 vols., (calf, extra)
Arrowsmith's Atlas
Dictionary, Armenian and English
Morell's Seneca
Potter's Euripides, 3 vols.
The Mirror, 3 vols.
The Idler, 2 vols.
Wycherly's Dramatic Works, 2 vols.
Apocryphal New Testament
Life of Vincent de Paul
Port Royal Greek Grammar
Goethe's Works, 4 vols.
Berington's Faith of Catholics
Baillie's Essays on Opinion
Miss Edgeworth's Letters to Ladies
Diogenes Laertius's Lives of Philosophers, 2 vols.
Fiske's Classical Antiquities
Crawford's Lives of Scotsmen
Maps and Tables of Chronology and Genealogy
Butler's Lives of the Saints, 4 vols.
Melmoth's Cicero
Cicero's Letters, by Guthrie
Waring's Tour to Sheraz, 4to, plates
Walker's Quarto Dictionary
Denham's Travels in Africa
Coke upon Littleton, with Butler and Hargrave's notes, 3 vols.

MUSIC.

Volume of Opera Music
Volume of Vocal Music
Twenty Madrigals
Haydon's Canzonets
Corelli's and Handel's Concertos, 7 vols.
Portfolio of Music

LATIN AND GREEK.

Horatius Gesneri
Homeri Ilias (Heyne)
Minor Latin Historians (Biponti)
Propertii Carmina
Epicteti Enchiridion
Pindarus (Heyne), 3 vols., calf extra
Leges Atticæ (Petit), folio
Titi Livi Historia (Pauli Minutii), 1566, folio, rare
Xenophon by Hutchinson, 2 vols.
Xenophon by Greenwood
Theocritus, with Translation by Gail, 2 vols. 4to, plates
Aristotelis de Poetica
Biblia Sacra (Vulg. Edit.)
Theologia Petri Dens, 7 vols. 8vo., portrait
Erasmi Colloquia (Lugduni, 1581)
Institutiones Philosophicæ
Virgilii Opera (Oxonii), 2 vols.
Martialis Epigrammatom (Delphini)
Demosthenis Orationes
Dumesnil's Latin Synonyms
Anacreon (Gr. and Lat.)
Florus et Paterculus
Suetonius
Strada de Bello Belgico
Velleius Paterculus (Biponti)
Origines Equestrium Ordinum

FRENCH AND ITALIAN.

Memoires sur les Templiers
Morale de Confucius
Abrégé Chronologique sur la Bulle Unigenitus
Testament Politique de Richelieu
Cours d'Histoire, 6 vols.
Quintilien par Gedoyn, 4 vols.
Des Colonies de l'Amérique, 2 vols.
Droit de Gens par Marten
Œuvres de Rollin, 18 vols.
Opere del P. Metastasio, 8 vols.

There are a great many more, which, with the above, may be seen at the Rooms of the Auctioneer, on Tuesday and succeeding days. 229

COTTAGE AND LAND.
ELIGIBLE INVESTMENT.
MR. GEORGE A. LLOYD

HAS received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, City Mart,

On Tuesday, 6th July,
At 11 o'clock precisely,

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY, VIZ.:—

All that piece or parcel of land situate, lying, and being at West Maitland, in the county of Northumberland, and colony aforesaid, being allotment number seven on the plan thereof made; bounded on the north-west by a reserved road of twenty feet in width, by a line of one hundred feet; on the south-west by Sparke-street, by a line of forty feet; on the south-east by allotment number six, by a line of one hundred feet; and on the north-east by James-street, by a line of forty feet.

On the above property is erected

A VERY HANDSOME VERANDAH COTTAGE,

Containing—

Entrance hall,	22 x 5
Drawing room,	14 x 12
Sitting room,	14 x 12
Two bedrooms each	14 x 10 3

The out offices, comprise—

Servants' room,	8 x 12
Kitchen,	12 x 11
Workman's room,	12 x 11
Workshop,	20 x 12
Store,	12 x 10
Coach-house	13 x 8
Two stall stable	13 x 12
Yard,	27 x 56

Forming one of the most complete premises for business in the rapidly rising town of WEST MAITLAND.

AFTER WHICH,

All that parcel of Land, containing one hundred acres more or less, situated in the county of Hunter, and parish of , at Yang Creek in the said colony, commencing from the western extreme of the north-west boundary line of Truman's grant, and bounded on the by twenty-one chains and fifty links on the south boundary line of P. Gardner's five hundred acres grant, bearing west; on the remainder of the north and west by Young's Creek upwards; on the south by an east line of fifty chains and fifty links; on the east by a north line of twenty-five chains to the western extreme of the north boundary line of Truman's grant, being the land sold as lot fifty-three, in pursuance of advertisement of the eighth day of December, 1835, and granted to the said Robert Crawford, by deed, under the seal of the colony and the hand of the Governor thereof, dated the twenty-ninth day of March, 1836.

And also, that piece or parcel of Land, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres, be the same more or less, situate, lying, and being in the county of Hunter and parish of , in the said colony, bounded on the north by part of the boundary of P—— Gardner's farm, bearing east thirteen chains to a branch of the Wollombi Brook, called Sugarloaf Creek, and by that Creek on the east, by the said Creek on the south by a line bearing west fifty-seven chains, and on the west by a line bearing north seventy chains to the south boundary of the said P—— Gardner's land, being the land promised to William Truman, on or before the date above mentioned being also the land inserted as one hundred and one in the Government notice of the twenty-ninth day of August, 1836, in favour of the said Robert Crawford, at the request of the promisee, to be called "Blair," and granted to the said Robert Crawford, by deed, under the seal of the colony and the hand of the Governor thereof, dated the eleventh day of June, 1837.

And also, that other piece or parcel of land on the Wollombi Brook, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres, situate, lying, and being in the county of Northumberland, in the said colony; commencing on the Wollombi Brook on the eastern extreme of the north boundary of P—— Gardner's five hundred acres grant, and bounded on the south by a west line of thirty-seven chains; on the west by a north line of twenty-eight chains; on part of the north by an east line of four chains to the Wollombi Brook; and on the residue of the north and east by the Wollombi Brook, upwards to the eastward extreme of the north boundary.

And also, all that piece or parcel of land containing by admeasurement one hundred acres, be the same more or less; situate, lying, or being on the Wollombi Brook, in the county of Northumberland; commencing on the Wollombi Brook at the western extreme of the north boundary line of the township reserve at Wollombi, and bounded on the south by thirty chains of that boundary line, bearing east; on the east by a north line of twenty chains; on the north by a west line of forty chains to the Wollombi Brook; and on the west by the Wollombi Brook, upwards to the western extreme of the north boundary line of the township line of Wollombi.

And also, all that piece or parcel of land containing one hundred acres, more or less, situate in the county of Northumberland, on the Wollombi Brook; commencing on the Wollombi Brook at the second bridge crossing it from the village of Wollombi, on the road to the Hunter; and bounded on the south by a west line of forty-five chains; on the west by a north line of twenty chains; on the north by an east line of twelve chains to the Wollombi Brook; and on the north and east by the Wollombi Brook, upwards to the bridge above described.

Terms at sale. 196

DRAPERY GOODS.
EX "GLENTANNER," "OLIVER CROMWELL," AND "THOMAS KING."
MR. R. FAWCETT

HAS received instructions to sell by public auction, at his Commercial Sale Rooms, George-street,

On Monday, July 5,
At eleven o'clock precisely,

25 Packages of London and Manchester Goods, consisting of—

6-4 and 8-4 all wool tartans
8-4 and 4-4 ditto ditto ditto
3-4 Plain and twilled Circassians
3-4 De laines and Cashmeres
Black satins, Brussels, ducapes, and bands
Gents' striped, bordered, and checked silk handkerchiefs
Muslin and jaconet collars
Muslin and jaconet chemisettes
Muslin pelerines
Muslin and jaconet sleeves and cuffs
Linen and jaconet handkerchiefs
Mull and jaconet insertions and edgings
Checked Victoria ginghams, assorted
6-4 all wool checks, quite new
2-4 stout Osnaburgs
3-4 all wool checked tweeds
White and coloured stays
White, straw, and coloured kid gloves
Black lace cuffs and gloves
Queen's new ribbon ties
Scotch twilled shirtings
Rugs and counterpanes
8-4, 9-4, and 10-4 Blankets
All kinds of hosiery
White supers and shirtings, &c.

Terms at sale. 226

BONNET RIBBONS,
Ex Thomas King,
FOR THE BENEFIT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

MR. R. FAWCETT will sell by public auction, at his Commercial Sale Rooms, George-street,

On Monday, 5th July,
At 11 o'clock precisely,

1 case of rich bonnet ribbons, slightly spotted.

Terms at sale. 224

Monday, 5th July.
At ten o'clock precisely

TWO CASES ASSORTED DRAPERY GOODS,
Just Landed, ex "Glentanner."

MR. R. FAWCETT will sell by public auction, at his Commercial Sale Rooms, George-street,

On Monday, 5th July,
At ten o'clock precisely,

Two cases assorted Drapery Goods, consisting of—

Bonnet ribbons, French shawls, black satin shawls, plush scarfs, coloured, striped, and figured gros, printed German velvets, plain and checked chally dresses, gambroons, Palestine and de laine dresses printed merino and damask dresses, cashmere dresses, ladies cloth cloaks, watered poplins, lace gloves, &c., &c.

Terms at sale. 225

REAL FRENCH FLOWERS.

MR. R. FAWCETT will sell by public auction, at his Commercial Sale Rooms, George-street,

On Monday, 5th July,
At 11 o'clock precisely,

1 case real French flowers, just landed, and in beautiful condition

Terms at sale.

NEW AND SPLENDID JEWELLERY.
MR. GEORGE A. LLOYD

Has received instructions to submit to public competition, at his Rooms, City Mart, 474, George-street,

On Tuesday, the 6th July,
At 11 o'clock precisely,

THE most costly and beautiful collection of

JEWELLERY, FINE GOLD, AND PLATED GOODS,

ever offered to the public, and comprising a very great variety, amongst which will be found—

EARRINGS, viz.—
Carbuncle, garnet
Turquoise, filigree
Pearl, &c., &c., &c.

BROOCHES, viz.—
Turquoise, topaz
Carbuncle, amethyst
Enamel, pearl
Pink topaz, convolvulus
Large and small cornelians
Engraved—oblong and oval cameos

RINGS, viz.—
Diamonds
Shield signets
Onyx, ditto blood ditto
Blood stone, red cornelian
Carbuncle, pink topaz
Pearl cluster torquoise
Turquoise cluster
Yellow topaz, pearl and ruby
Brilliants

CHAINS—fine gold of many patterns
GUARDS—bright curb pillar and sink
Square and pierced oval link
BREQUETS—white cornelian, amethyst
Bulls and horses' heads
Yellow crystal, fancy onyx
STUDS—Enamel, Gold, Cornelian, Onyx
PINS—Brilliant clan and coronet
Foxes and asses' heads
Turquoise, carbuncle, enamel
Ruby
Necklets, suits, card cases, tablets

PLATED GOODS.

One set elegant dishes
Tea sets, dessert sets, in mahogany cases
carved ivory, &c.

GERMAN SILVER.

Table and dessert spoons
Table spoons and gravy spoons
Sauce and soup ladles

☞ Jewellers and others desirous of purchasing the above description of goods, may with confidence attend on this opportunity, as the articles enumerated are warranted of the finest gold, and the workmanship is quite worthy of the value of the material.

The whole will be arranged in such a manner that parties desirous of inspecting them previous to the sale, may do so on Wednesday and Thursday next.

Terms at sale. 197

IMPORTANT SALE OF SOFT GOODS.
MR. CHARLES NEWTON

HAS received instructions from MR. JOHN JOHNSON, to sell by auction, at his Rooms,

On Tuesday, the 6th July,
At eleven o'clock,

Seventy Bales and Cases

of

LONDON and MANCHESTER DRAPERY GOODS,

of the most superior description, consisting of the following:—

Now landing ex *Thomas King* and *Glentanner*,
A splendid assortment of rich black ducapes
Ditto ditto ditto ditto satinettes
Ditto ditto ditto ditto satins
Ditto ditto ditto ditto silk serges
Ditto ditto ditto Berlin cloaks and hoods
Ditto ditto ditto handkerchiefs and shawls
Ditto ditto ditto muffs and boas
Ditto ditto ditto Victorines, in swansdown sable and squirrel
Rich satin cloaks
Checked Coburgs
Fancy plaids
Rich black cotton velvet
Ditto coloured ditto ditto
Black and coloured Coburgs
Ditto ditto ditto Orleans
Ditto ditto ditto Alpacas
Rich plain black sarsnet ribbons
Ditto ditto coloured ditto ditto
Ditto ditto fancy ditto
Ditto flowers
A beautiful assortment of gloves
White satteen stays
White cotille ditto
Rich black bandannas
Ditto ditto ducapes
Ditto ditto satin

MANCHESTER GOODS.

39 Inch white shirtings
36 Ditto ditto superior longcloth
26 to 36 inch grey shirtings
72 inch grey sheetings
72 to 90 inch white double warp sheeting
9-8 fine supers
10-4 to 12-4 white counterpanes
10-4 to 12-4 coloured ditto
9-4 and 10-4 diaper rugs
Stout cotton ticks
Ditto union ditto
Ditto linen ditto
Ditto bleached huckabacks
Ditto ditto union ditto
Ditto drab moleskins
Ditto ditto cords
Fine coloured furniture linings
Ditto white rolled jaconet
Superior imitation Welch flannels
8-4 to 10-4 blankets
10-4 to 12-4 superior Witneys

CLOTHS AND TWEEDS.

Superfine broadcloths
Black and coloured cassimeres
A splendid assortment of very superior tweeds and buckskins
Very superior blue pilot cloth
Ditto ditto waterproof beavers

SLOPS.

Fashionable drab and coloured beaver Chesterfield and D'Orsay coats, finished in a very superior style
Superior blue pilot coats
Ditto ditto cloth jackets
Ditto ditto ditto trousers
Ditto fancy vests
Ditto white shirts, linen fronts
Ditto drab moleskin trousers
Ditto white cantoon ditto
A large assortment of hosiery and haberdashery
Superior printed oilcloth table covering
4-4 Forfar sheeting

The whole of the above goods are now landing, and will be on view the morning of the sale.

Terms at sale. 10239

LYNX AND SABLE BOAS.

MR. R. FAWCETT will sell by public auction, at his Commercial Sale Rooms, George-street,

On Monday, 5th July,
At 11 o'clock precisely,

One case superior lynx and sable boas

Terms at sale. 225

DISTRAINT FOR RENT.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PICTURES, WEARING APPAREL, &c.

TO be sold by auction, THIS DAY, at twelve o'clock precisely, at the residence of Mrs. E. Brown, City Restaurant, corner of Pitt and Park streets, being the property of a lodger, deceased:—

An iron bedstead, bedding, &c., hair cloth sofa, chest of drawers, cheffonier, tables, chairs, work boxes, desk, a time-piece; a number of neatly framed paintings and engravings, amongst which is a splendid painting with musical back, in handsome gilt frame, nearly new. A large quantity of female wearing apparel, of superior quality, and some jewellery.

HODGE AND PLEFFER,
263, George-street,
912 Auctioneers.

SCHOONER "BRIDE."

MR. EDWARD SALAMON will sell by auction, at Campbell's Wharf,

On Monday Next, the 5th July,
At 12 o'clock.

THE FINE NEW SCHOONER "*BRIDE*,"
Burthen as per register 65 tons,

With all her sails, stores, anchors, cables, gear, &c., particulars of which will be shown by inventory at the time of sale.

☞ This fine new fast-sailing schooner was built at Russell, New Zealand, last year, is well coppered and found, and can be at once sent to sea.

Terms at sale. 210

HORSES.
AT AUCTION.

MR. STEWART will sell by auction, at his Stables, in York-street, near the Barrack-gate, at twelve o'clock,

This Day,

Several serviceable HORSES, COLTS, and a MARE.

ALSO,

A second-hand gig and harness. 191

MAHOMET.

MR. STEWART will sell by auction, at his Stables, in York-street, near the Barrack Gate,

This Day,
At twelve o'clock,

MAHOMET, a very powerful entire colt, four years old; colour, a rich dark brown; got by Ali Pacha, out of a mare by Chance. 192

BACON.
MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

This Day, Saturday, 3rd July,
At half-past 11 o'clock,

41 SIDES PRIME BACON.

Terms—Cash. 201

PRIME MESS BEEF.
MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

This Day, 3rd July,
At half-past eleven o'clock,

30 TIERCES PRIME MESS BEEF.

Terms—Cash. 108

Saturday's Usual Produce Sale.
WOOL, TALLOW, HIDES, AND SHEEPSKINS.
MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, in the Yard, at the rear of his Rooms, George-street,

This Day, Saturday, 3rd July,
At twelve o'clock,

25 BALES FLEECE WOOL
18 Casks tallow
197 Salted hides
Lot of sheepskins.
2 Tons shanks and hoofs
1000 Horns

Terms—cash. 202

A HIGHLY FINISHED AND NEWLY ERECTED DWELLING-HOUSE, SITUATE AT THE CORNER OF WILLIAMS AND RILEY STREETS, ON THE WOOLLOOMOOLOO ROAD, WORTHY OF EVERY MAN'S ATTENTION.
MR. MORT

Has instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street, on

Tuesday, 13th July,
At 12 o'clock,

THAT very comfortable and genteel Residence, situate on the right hand side of Williams-street from Sydney, close to the new Museum, not more than five minutes' walk from the Post Office, and yet quite away from the town, commanding excellent and open views, with the constant cheerfulness of the Woolloomooloo Road.

The House contains on the basement story kitchen and servant's room, on the ground floor a parlour and hall, out of the latter open stairs to the kitchen and to two excellent bedrooms on the first floor, both of which open into an ornamental balcony. In the rear of the dwelling is a yard and small garden, with out-offices, and a never-failing supply of the finest spring water The yard opens into Riley-street.

This is an excellent chance for any family wishing to be their own landlord, or desirous of making a sure investment, as the house was built by the owner in a most superior manner with a view to residing in it himself. It is let at the rate of £40 per annum, but would command a higher rate if a lease were given with it.

Terms at sale. 199

1300 FINE WOOLLED SHEEP,
WITH
STATION FOR 7000.
MR. MORT

Will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

On Friday, the 23rd July,
At 12 o'clock,

THE following really fine woolled and well bred Sheep, all of which are

WARRANTED SOUND AND NEVER DISEASED:

760 Ewes, in lamb, principally young
525 Wethers, of ages
15 Rams.

1300 more or less.

THE STATION

is situated at Macquarie Mount, in the district of Carcoar, is sound and well watered, and will carry

SEVEN THOUSAND HEAD.

☞ Hurdles, watchboxes, and other necessaries to establish two complete stations, will be given in—anything additional must be taken at a valuation.

Terms at sale. 204

A SMALL BUT CAPITAL HERD.

73 Bullocks and steers, 45 to 50, fat and fit for slaughter
78 Cows and heifers
2 First-rate bulls.

153 Head, more or less.

MR. MORT

Is instructed to sell the above by public auction, at his Rooms, George-street,

On Friday, 23rd July,
At twelve o'clock,

AND WITHOUT RESERVE.

THE above Cattle are warranted of the very quietest description, having been kept on a home run on the Manning River, where they now are. They are well bred, and all either milkers or milkers' calves.

Terms at sale. 315

BENECARLO AND CAPE WINE,
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.
TO CLOSE A CONSIGNMENT.
MR. MORT

Will sell by auction, at the Stores of Messrs. "Lamb, Parbury, and Co., Darling Harbour,

On Tuesday, 6th July,
At 12 o'clock,

4 PIPES BENECARLO WINE
19 hogsheads ditto
19 quarter-casks ditto
28 hogsheads Cape wine

Terms at sale. 200

30 HOGSHEADS GLASSWARE.
JUST LANDED FROM THE "WOODBRIDGE."
Without Reserve,
TO GLASS DEALERS, STOREKEEPERS, IRONMONGERS, AND OTHERS.

JOHN G. COHEN has received instructions from the importer to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 490, George-street, on

Monday Next, 5th July, 1847,
At half-past ten o'clock precisely,

30 Hogsheads cut and plain flint glassware, comprising—
Cut, moulded, and plain flint short half pint tumblers
Wine glasses, cut Prince's, tulip, spangled, Cobourg, &c.
Decanters, in sets, elegantly cut
Ditto, quarts and pints, ditto
Claret decanters, new shapes, ditto
Water jugs, ditto ditto
Caraffs and tumblers, plain and coloured
Cut cruets, mustards, peppers, and vinegars
Cut cruets and frames, 3, 4, 5, and 6 holes
Cut spirit decanters and frames
Cut and moulded salts
Gas chimneys, lotus, tulips, moons, elegantly cut
French ditto, 10 inch shades
Solar ditto, and shades
Cambridge night lamps, new article
Ditto ditto wicks for same
Gas consumers
Patent lamp cottons
Cut and moulded sugars and milks
Splendid cut trifle dishes
Jelly glasses and custard cups
Solar lamp cottons
Two bales superfine ball cotton
Coloured glass candle ornaments, feeding bottles, breast pipes, &c.

☞ The above assortment of Glassware is of the best description: the whole must positively be sold.

Terms—Under £20 cash, above £20 and under £50, three months; above £50, three and four months, by approved bills. 142

FRENCH PORCELAINE TETE-A-TETE SETS,
TO PRIVATE FAMILIES AND OTHERS.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 490, George-street,

On Tuesday next, July 6th,
At eleven o'clock precisely,

Forty superb French Porcelaine Tête-à-tête Sets, various patterns, beautifully designed and painted.

(In lots to suit purchasers.)

Terms at sale. 126

EXTENSIVE SALE,
WITHOUT RESERVE.
FANCY AND ORNAMENTAL MANUFACTURES, COMPRISING
FIFTY PACKAGES PARISIAN, PRUSSIAN, GERMAN, AND ENGLISH GOODS, JUST LANDED EX "THOMAS KING."
TO DRAPERS, IRONMONGERS, JEWELLERS, SHIPPERS, STOREKEEPERS, AND OTHERS.

JOHN G. COHEN has received instructions from the Importer, Mr. Walter Beames, to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 490 George-street, on

Tuesday and Wednesday Next, the 6th and 7th July,

To commence each day at half-past ten o'clock precisely,

Fifty packages of the above, expressly selected for this market, by a gentleman of experience, and comprising a most beautiful assortment—

Jewellery—Breast pins, brooches, cameos, turquoise, enamel, ruby, emeralds, pearls, cornelian, and a variety of new designs, chains, watch keys, snaps, buckles, and rings, gold Geneva watches, silver ditto
Porcelain.—Ornaments, vases, bottles, polkas, villages, cattle and horses, huntsmen, white and gold inks, &c.
Perfumery—Eau de Cologne, sachets, perfumes, bondaline, pot. mod. gre, oleophane, huile, antique, rose, pomades, orange, and honey water
Baskets—Fancy reticule, market, key, packet, and worked Berlin baskets
Seraphines—5, 5½, and 6 octaves, with all the late improvements
Beads—Cut, ruby, and purple, large size
Violins, assorted
Pictures, cabinet, brigands, costumes, Italian Family, heads, Dutch scenery, shipping, battles, and a great variety of other subjects
French artificial flowers
Ditto white kid gloves
Violin strings. E
Papier Mâché trays, in sets, inlaid with pearl, beautifully painted
Dressing cases fitted—pocket book various writing cases patent cases, &c.

A variety of other goods too numerous to particularise.

The public is respectfully informed, that the whole of the above articles will be on view two days previous to the sale.

Terms.—Under £20, cash; above that sum and under £50, three months; above that sum three and four months, by approved bills. 127

Saturday, 3rd July,
CONTINUATION OF SALE OF IRONMONGERY, &c., POSTPONED TO
Saturday, 3rd July.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart,

This Day, 3rd July,
At eleven o'clock,

Casks containing—
Spring balances, snuffers, bronze and brass bells, locks, corkscrews, sash fasteners, hair pins, brass locks, &c.
30 dozen Banbury locks, six to ten inch
Coffin furniture—white, black, and gilt
24 pair copper scales
15 kegs fine 4 lb. rose nails, 2 cwt. each
30 kegs 4 lb. shingle nails, 1cwt. each
6 dozen Cumnock snuff-boxes
40 dozen spades, two sizes

Terms at sale. 81

Saturday, 3rd July.
OFFICE FURNITURE.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart,

This Day, July 3rd, 1847,
At 11 o'clock,

OFFICE FURNITURE, CONSISTING OF—
Counter, with panel doors and silk curtains
Large office table
Small ditto
Eight cane bottom chairs, &c., &c.

Terms at sale. 10413

Monday, 5th July.
OIL CASKS, EX "THOMAS ARBUTHNOT."

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at Campbell's Wharf, Lower George-street,

On Monday, 5th July,
At half-past 10 o'clock,

About 340 tuns superior Oil Casks, 160 to 263 gallons

In lots to suit purchasers.

Terms at sale. 176

Monday, 5th July.
IMPORTANT SALE OF FIRST CLASS CITY FREEHOLD PROPERTY,
WITH VALUABLE PREMISES,
Known as the "Swan with two Necks," at the south-east corner of George and Park streets, occupied by Mr. Edward Hancock, and having a very extensive frontage to the latter street, in which it extends to the Premises occupied by Mr. D. Hill, in Pitt-street.
MR. LYONS

Will sell by public auction, on the Premises,

On Monday, 5th July,
At eleven o'clock precisely.

THIS HIGHLY DESIRABLE PROPERTY, in FOUR LOTS, according to a plan executed by Mr. C. E. Langley, which is on view at the Mart of the Auctioneer, and agreeably to instructions received from Mr. J. N. Brown and Mr. John Holt, Executors of the Estate of the late Mr. Joseph Nobbs, namely:—

Lot 1.

These excellent old-established Business Premises, "The Swan with two Necks," in the occupation of Mr. Edward Hancock, and in full trade, having a frontage to

GEORGE-STREET

of 33 feet 4 inches, adjoining Mr. Cooper's premises; and to

PARK-STREET

of 80 feet 6 inches. The House contains Tap and Tap Room, Hall, Parlour, and Breakfast Room on the ground floor, with Cellar.

The rooms upstairs consist of four spacious bed-rooms, and a

BALL ROOM.

The outbuildings, which adjoin the above in the rear, consist of a pantry, large kitchen, with oven, a store and stabling, &c.

Lot 2.

Has a frontage of 20 feet to PARK-STREET, by a depth of 35 feet 4 inches on the west, and 33 feet 7 inches on the east side.

Lot 3.

Has a frontage of 20 feet to PARK-STREET, by a depth of 33 feet 7 inches on the west, and 33 feet 1 inch on the east side.

Lot 4.

Has a frontage of 20 feet to PARK-STREET, by a depth of 33 feet 1 inch on the west, and about 32 feet 3 inches on the east side.

*** The depth of these lots, as above stated, is subject to a deduction of about 6 feet 10 inches, if taken from the building line in Park-street.

☞ The position of this property is admirable, being nearly in the centre of the City, and consequently in the immediate vicinity of the Police Office and the Markets in George-street; whilst the Park-street portion is in direct line with William-street, the great outlet to Woolloomooloo, Rushcutter's Bay, &c. These advantages would alone warrant the Auctioneer in recommending it as a first-rate purchase to parties desirous of investing money to a profit. But in addition to these attractions, when it is remembered that George-street is the principal thoroughfare of the City, and commands the whole of the extensive communication with the interior, it will be obvious to every one that this is a property of the highest order, and of very considerable Value.

TERMS OF SALE.

20 per cent. cash deposit—20 per cent by bill at three months—20 per cent. by bill at six months from day of sale, bearing six per cent. interest. The residue may remain secured on the property at six per cent. interest per annum.

Terms at sale. 8601

Saturday, 10th July.
VALUABLE OIL PAINTINGS,
BY CELEBRATED MASTERS.

MR. SAMUEL LYONS will sell by auction, at his Mart,

On Saturday, 10th July,
At 11 o'clock,

The following valuable Oil Paintings and coloured Engravings:—

No. 1.—Large Landscape, with Cattle and Figure
2.—Landscape, with Sheep, by Carl du Jarden, 1652
3.—A Dutch Garden, by Ivan Loden, with Figures of Rubens and his Family, by Phillip Douverman
4.—Forest Scenery, by M. Hobbema, 1611, with Figures, by Adrian Vander Velde. These two are a pair, and are both very fine pictures.
5.—St. Jerome, by Francisco Vanni, 1585, engraved by Augustin Carracci
6.—Head of Bacchus, by Jacob Jordaens, 1610. From the gallery of Prince Lichtenstein, Vienna
7.—Landscape and Cow, by Adrian Vander Velde
8 & 9.—Dead Partridges, by John Fyt, 1640
10.—Interior, Boors Singing, by Cornelius Molinar, school of Ostade, a most excellent picture.
11.—Sleeping Child, by Guido Reni.
12.—Portrait by Solomon Konningh, pupil of Rembrandt
1 to 10.—Ten framed Coloured Engravings of celebrated Horses, from paintings by J. F. Herring, viz., Orville, Emilius, Tarrare, Priam, Bay Middleton, Queen of Trumps, Plenipotentiary, Elis, Camel, and Sultan, and a quantity of other Oil Paintings and Engravings.

☞ Admirers of the Fine Arts are requested to inspect these genuine paintings which are on view at the Mart. They were collected on the continent by a gentleman who spared neither time, trouble, or expense, and were greatly admired in England; parties therefore who wish to possess really valuable and genuine pictures, will do well to avail themselves of this opportunity.

Terms at sale. 177

SATURDAY'S SALE.
This Day.

MR. STUBBS will sell by auction, at the Mart, King-street,

This Day, Saturday, 3rd July,
At eleven o'clock,

A general collection of goods adapted to dealers and families
An extensive collection of every description of household furniture, &c.
Several horses, broken in to saddle and harness
A capital gig and second-hand phaeton
Stable fittings, comprising metal hay-racks and mangers
Water tubs, garden seats
And a collection of sundries, viz.:—
Boydell's tobacco, tobacco stems, Grecian boots, web braces, shoe thread, shoe brads and bills, shoe tips and blacking, basil skins, trunk of shoes, whip thongs, water and spoke brushes, pickles, castor oil, writing ink, pedestal lamps, tea, cinnamon, refined sugar, toilet glasses, guns, telescopes, crockery, china and glassware, wines, beef, flour, &c., &c., &c.

Terms—Cash. 180

Saturday, the 3rd July,
ORLEANS CLOTH.
AT THE RISK OF THE FORMER PURCHASER.

MR. STUBBS will sell by auction, at the Mart, King-street,

This Day, the 3rd of July,
At 11 o'clock,

On account and at the risk of the former purchaser,

8 pieces Orleans cloth.

Terms—Cash. 10457

Saturday, the 3rd July.
COTTAGE PIANOFORTE.

MR. STUBBS will sell by auction, at the Mart, King-street,

This Day, the 3rd of July,
At 11 o'clock,

A very excellent toned second-hand semi-cabinet pianoforte, by Clementi and Co., London.

Terms—Cash. 10456

TO MARKET GARDENERS, SEEDSMEN, AMATEUR GARDENERS, &c.
JUST ARRIVED FROM THE DERWENT.

MR. STUBBS will sell by public auction, at his Mart, King-street,

This Day, the 3rd July,
At 11 o'clock,

A few pounds of assorted cabbage seeds, in ½ lb. packages, consisting of sugar loaf and early York
1½ cwt. Swedish turnip seed, in 8 lb. packages.

These seeds are all warranted.

Terms—Cash. 86

ONLY 380 HEAD OF CATTLE, WITH A SPLENDID STATION.

Desirable opportunity to gentlemen with limited funds, to improve their condition in life, under the influence and advantages held out to the squatters under

THE NEW ORDERS IN COUNCIL.

THE STATION KNOWN AS "COGHILL," NAMOI RIVER,
CAPABLE OF FEEDING 1000 HEAD OF CATTLE AND 3000 SHEEP, WITH ONLY 380 HEAD CATTLE.

MR. STUBBS is instructed by the proprietor, to sell by public auction,

On Wednesday, the 7th day of July,
At the Mart, King-street.
At twelve o'clock precisely.

All the proprietor's right and interest in and to the

SPLENDID STATION "COGHILL."
Never known to fail for water.

With an excellent Family House, containing 6 rooms, of the best workmanship, men's huts, and every convenience for the comfort of the proprietor; also good stockyards, horse paddock, and garden.

The cattle consist of bullocks, steers, heifers, and cows, all quiet, having been bred from the best stock, and employed as a milking herd.

Terms—25 per cent. cash deposit, and the residue by approved bills at three months. 9920

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE
Lot 1.—A Valuable Estate of 1280 Acres.
Lot 2.—A Valuable Estate of 923 Acres,
AT REDBANK, RIVER HASTINGS, PORT MACQUARIE.
THE WELL-KNOWN AND HIGHLY IMPROVED PROPERTY OF MR. WILLIAM PENDRAY.

MR. STUBBS is instructed by the Mortgagee, to sell by public auction, absolutely and without reserve, at the Mart, King-street,

On Friday, the 9th day of July,
At twelve o'clock precisely.

TWO MOST VALUABLE ESTATES AT PORT MACQUARIE,

The legal descriptions of which are, viz.:—

First.—All that piece or parcel of Land, containing by admeasurement 1280 acres, be the same more or less, situate, lying, and being in the county of Macquarie, at Red Bank, in the territory of New South Wales, adjoining on the west by the land of Matthew Mitchell; and bounded on the east by a line north two hundred and eighty chains (commencing at the River Hastings); on the north by a line west 30 chains; on the west by a line south one hundred and twenty-six chains to the River Hastings; and on the south by that River, being the land promised to Edward Waterton, &c., &c.

Second.—All that piece or parcel of Land, containing by admeasurement 923 acres, more or less, situate, lying, and being in the county of Macquarie, in the said colony, bounded by a continuation of the Northern Boundary of Mr. Ackroyd's 1080 acres; on the east by Mr. Ackroyd's 1080 acres; on the south by the River Hastings; on the west by John Terry Hughes's 501 acres, &c.

For further particulars, title, &c., parties are respectfully referred to Gilbert Wright, Esq., Solicitor, King-street.

Terms at sale. 9830

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
A VALUABLE HERD OF CATTLE
BY MR. STUBBS.

150 Cows W.P.
150 Bullocks W.P.
68 Steers W.P.
68 Heifers W.P.
66 Calves W.P.
As per muster the 19th February, 1846, together with all their increase since that period.

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On Friday, the 9th day of July,
At twelve o'clock precisely.

The whole of the above valuable Herd of Horned Cattle, now depasturing under the superintendence of Mr. Fraser, at

GREEN HOUSES, PORT MACQUARIE.

And all the increase and produce of the said Cows and Heifers, since the 19th February, 1846. Terms—Cash. 9846

POSITIVE SALE BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE,
OF A WHOLE ROW OF HOUSES AND LAND, ADJOINING BLACKWATTLE SWAMP IN THE CITY OF SYDNEY.

Without exception the best situation in the whole colony for the erection of

ANOTHER MANUFACTORY FOR REFINING AND SALE OF SUGARS.

MR. STUBBS is instructed by the mortgagee to sell by public auction,

On Friday, the 16th July,
At the Mart, King-street,
Sale at twelve o'clock precisely,

"All that two acres of land situate, lying, "and being, near Blackwattle Swamp, in "the district of Sydney, bounded on the "north side thereof by a line bearing "west eleven degrees thirty minutes "south five chains fifty-five links, on "the west by a stream of water falling "into Blackwattle Swamp, on the south "by a line bearing east eleven degrees "thirty minutes north, and on the east "by a line bearing north three chains "sixty-four links," together with the "whole of the buildings erected thereon, "(subject to the piece or parcel of land "part of the said two acres sold to William Willings Withington.)"

Intending purchasers are respectfully invited to inspect the property previous to the day of sale.

Terms 25 per cent. cash deposit, and the residue on the completion of the title deeds.

Note.—The whole will be put up in one lot. 45108

GOULBURN.

MR. JOSEPH BULL has received instructions to dispose of by public auction, at Mr. Weakley's, Salutation Inn, Goulburn, on

Thursday, July 8th, 1847,

The undermentioned highly valuable Horse Stock, viz.:—

1. A thorough-bred mare, in foal to Orville, (Vagabond)
2. A well-bred mare, in foal to Guide, No. 2
3. A very handsome black cob mare, in foal to President
4. A very handsome black mare, very well bred
5. A first-rate draught horse, well adapted for a carriage
6. A ditto ditto very handsome Clydesdale
7. A three-year-old colt
8. A filly, 18 months old, out of No. 2
9. A colt, 6 months old, by Colonel, out of No. 2

The above are well worthy of attention, and will stand the test of the best judges. 151

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